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- r revised
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# Highlights

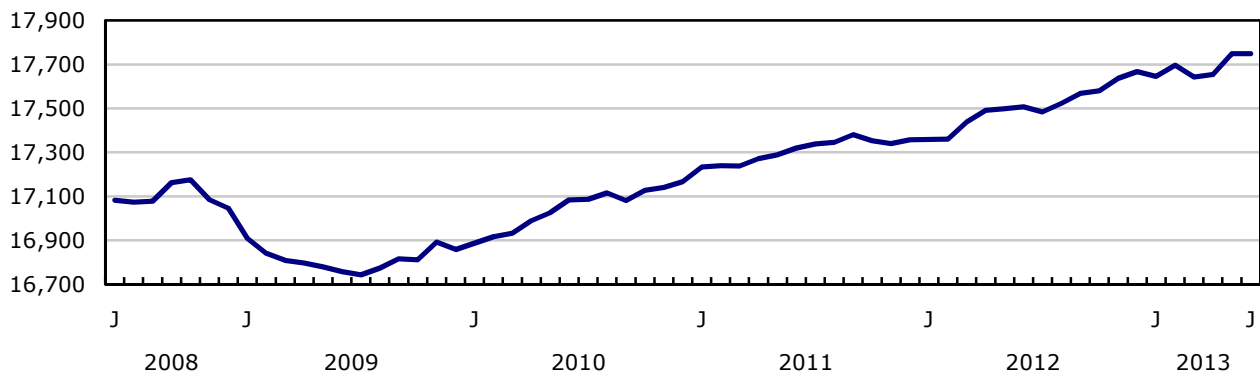
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**Chart 1**  
**Employment and unemployment rates, Canada, seasonally adjusted**

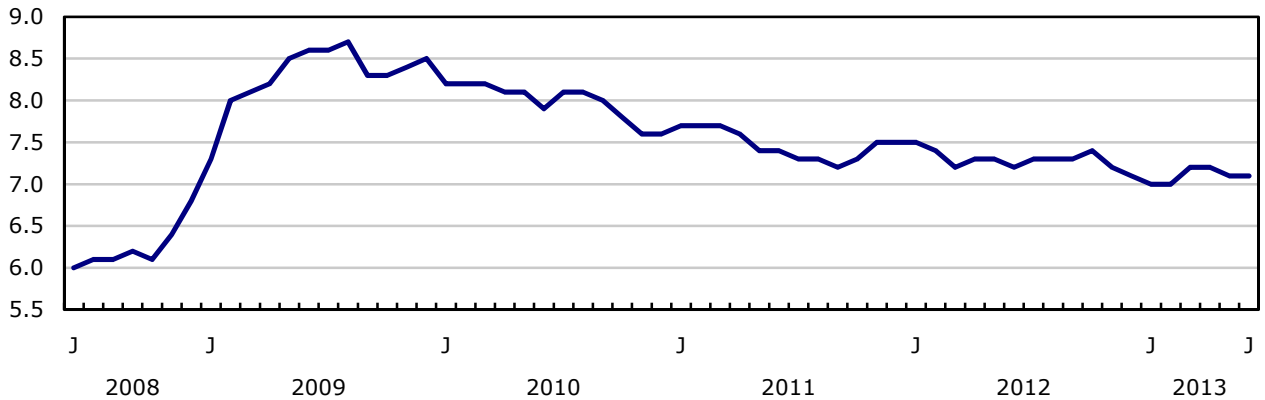
## Employment

thousands



## Unemployment rate

percent



## Analysis — June 2013

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Over this 12-month period, employment grew by 1.4% (+242,000), and the total number of hours worked increased by 0.6%.

In June, employment increased in Manitoba and Saskatchewan, while it declined in New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island.

Employment rose in professional, scientific and technical services, and declined in accommodation and food services as well as information, culture and recreation.

In June, employment was little changed among the major demographic groups.

### Collection and estimates in Southern Alberta

Floods in parts of southern Alberta began after the June reference week for the Labour Force Survey (LFS), which was from Sunday June 9 to Saturday June 15. The flooding occurred towards the end of the collection period.

While collection activities slowed in the affected communities that were in sample, final response rates for these communities were within normal range. Therefore, it is believed that the impact of the floods on June estimates was negligible.

In July, questions on the impact of the floods on hours worked will be added to the LFS, with estimates to be released in mid-August.

### Employment increases in Manitoba and Saskatchewan

The number of workers in Manitoba rose by 7,300 in June, offsetting declines earlier in the year. This gain pushed the unemployment rate down 0.7 percentage points to 5.0%. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in the province was up 1.5%.

Following four months of little change, employment in Saskatchewan increased by 4,300 in June. With this gain, the unemployment rate fell 0.8 percentage points to 3.7%, the lowest among all provinces. On a year-over-year basis, employment in the province increased by 3.6%, the strongest growth rate in the country.

In June, employment declined by 5,200 in New Brunswick, returning to a level similar to that of December 2012. This decline pushed the unemployment rate up 0.7 percentage points to 11.2%. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment was down 2.2%.

Employment declined by 1,100 in Prince Edward Island, and was little changed from one year earlier. In June, the unemployment rate was 10.9%.

Following an increase in May, employment in Ontario was little changed in June, as an increase in part-time work was offset by a decline in full-time work. The unemployment rate rose 0.2 percentage points to 7.5%. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment in the province was up 1.6%.

In Quebec, employment was little changed in June and the unemployment rate was 7.9%. On a year-over-year basis, employment rose 1.2%, with all the gains in the last six months of 2012.



## Gains in professional, scientific and technical services

Employment in professional, scientific and technical services increased by 27,000 in June. Compared with 12 months earlier, employment grew by 4.9% (+63,000), one of the highest growth rates among all industries.

In June, there were declines in accommodation and food services (-20,000) and information, culture and recreation (-15,000).

While employment in construction was little changed in June, it increased 6.2% on a year-over-year basis. Employment in this industry has been on an upward trend since the autumn of 2012.

Manufacturing employment has been little changed in recent months, following a decline of 71,000 during the first three months of 2013.

In June, the number of private and public sector employees and the self-employed was little changed. Compared with 12 months earlier, growth among private sector employees was 1.2% (+137,000), with all the gains in the second half of 2012. At the same time, the number of public sector employees was up 1.5% (+55,000), with increases spread throughout the period. As for the self-employed, growth was 1.9% (+51,000), the bulk of which occurred in the first quarter of 2013.

## Student summer employment

From May to August, the Labour Force Survey collects labour market data about young people aged 15 to 24 who were attending school full time in March and who intend to return to school full time in the fall. The May and June survey results provide the first indicators of the summer job market, while the July and August data will provide further insight. The published data are not seasonally adjusted; therefore, comparisons can only be made on a year-over-year basis.

Among returning students aged 20 to 24, the employment rate was 68.0% in June, up from 63.2% in June 2012. Their unemployment rate was 11.4% in June, down from 13.0% a year earlier.

The employment rate for 17- to 19-year-old students was 51.9% in June, similar to the rate observed 12 months earlier. Over the same period, the unemployment rate for these students declined from 17.3% to 15.7%.

## Quarterly update for the territories

The Labour Force Survey also collects labour market information about the territories. This information is produced monthly in the form of three-month moving averages. The following data are not seasonally adjusted; therefore, comparisons should only be made on a year-over-year basis.

In Yukon, employment increased by 600 from June 2012 to June 2013, and the unemployment rate fell from 7.8% to 5.3% over the same period.

Employment in Nunavut and the Northwest Territories was little changed in June 2013 compared with June 2012. Over the same period, the unemployment rate was down 2.0 percentage points to 13.7% in Nunavut, while it was little changed in the Northwest Territories.

### Note to readers

The Labour Force Survey (LFS) estimates are based on a sample and are therefore subject to sampling variability. As a result, monthly estimates will show more variability than trends observed over longer time periods. Estimates for smaller geographic areas or industries also have more variability. For an explanation of sampling variability of estimates and how to use standard errors to assess this variability, consult the "Estimates quality" section of the publication *Labour Force Information (71-001-X)*.

The employment rate is the number of employed persons as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The rate for a particular group (for example, youth aged 15 to 24) is the number employed in that group as a percentage of the population for that group.

The unemployment rate is the number unemployed as a percentage of the labour force (employed and unemployed).

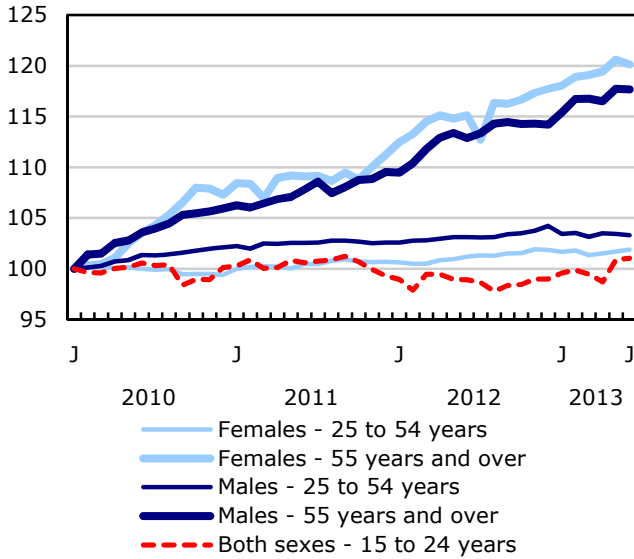
The participation rate is the number of employed and unemployed as a percentage of the population. For more detailed information, see the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G)*.

Unless otherwise stated, this release presents seasonally adjusted estimates, which facilitates comparisons by removing the effects of seasonal variations. For more information on seasonal adjustment, see *Seasonal adjustment and identifying economic trends*.

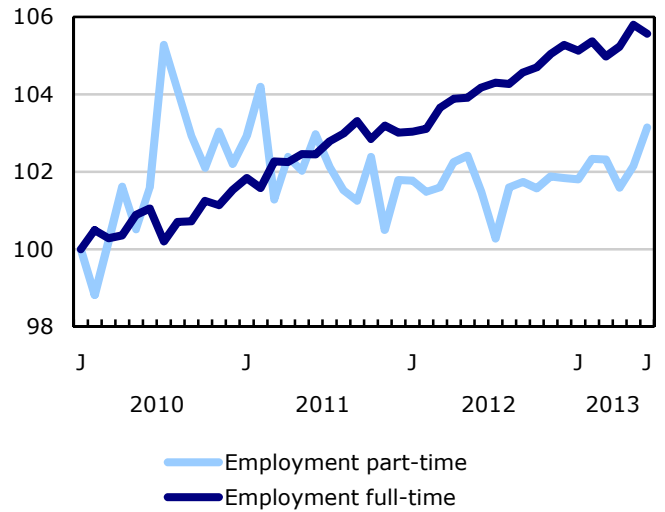
Each year, the LFS revises its estimates for the previous three years, using the latest seasonal factors.

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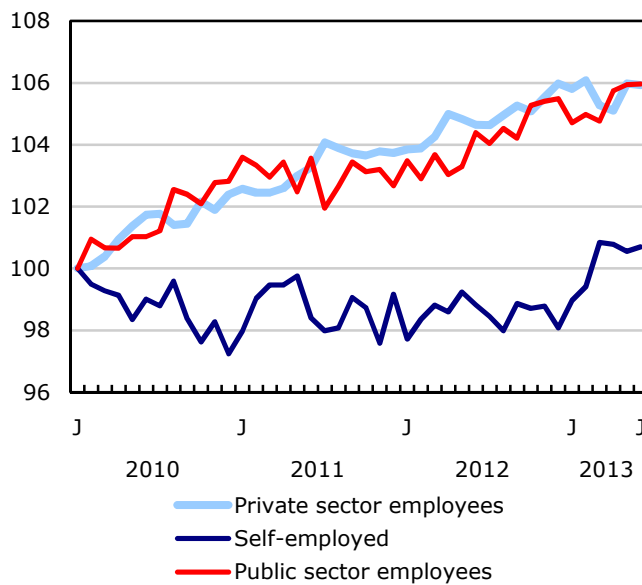
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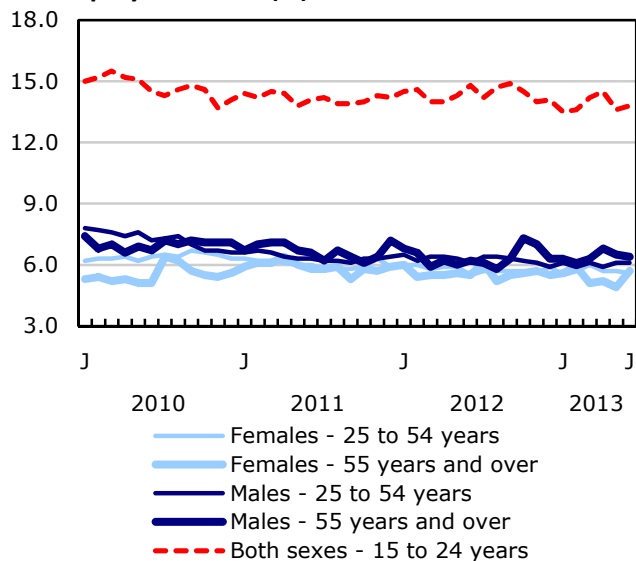


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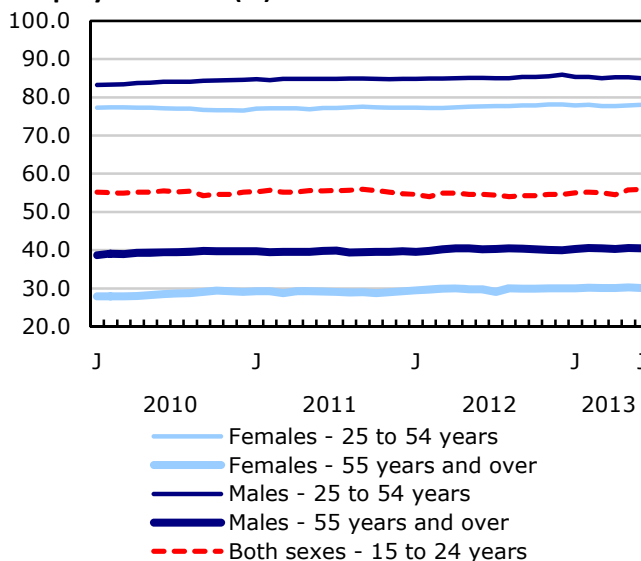


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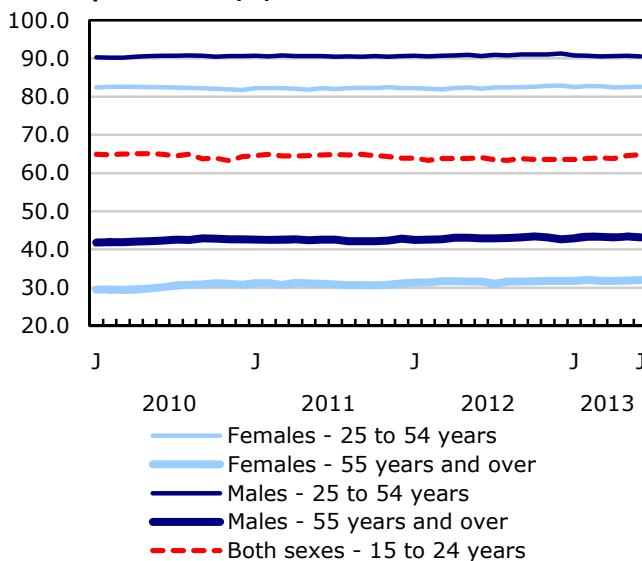
**Unemployment rate (%)**



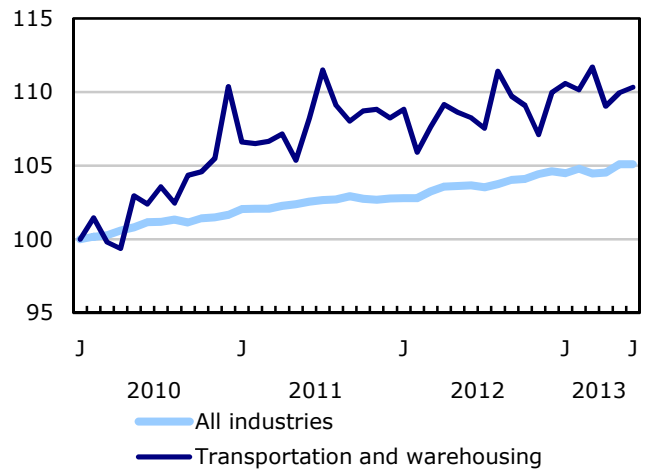
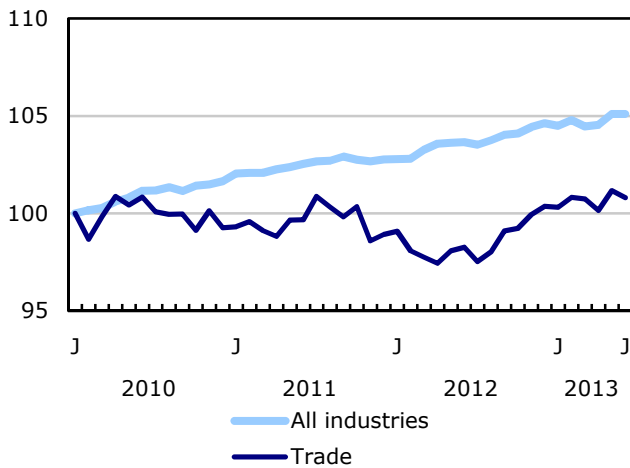
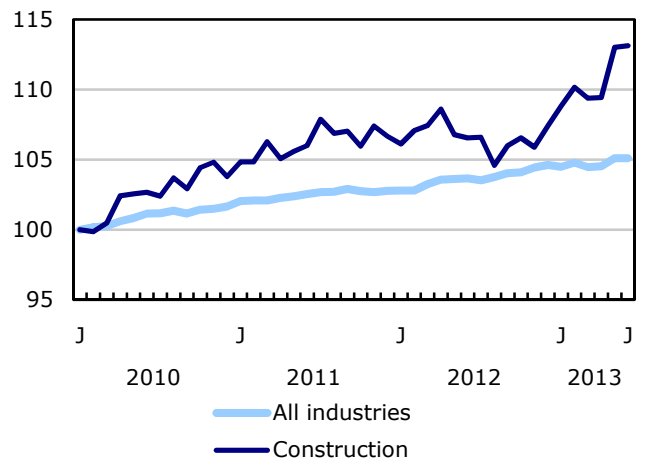
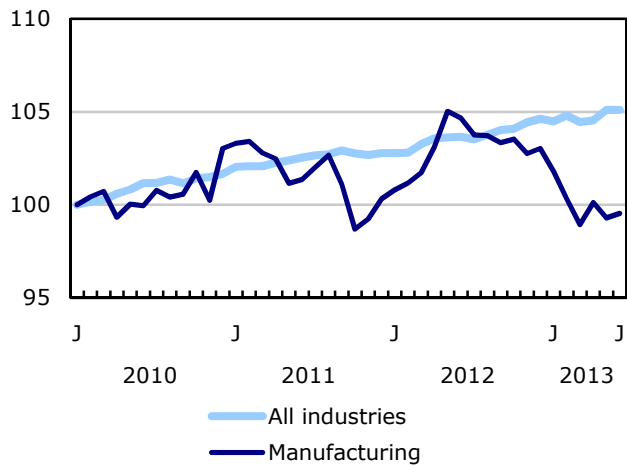
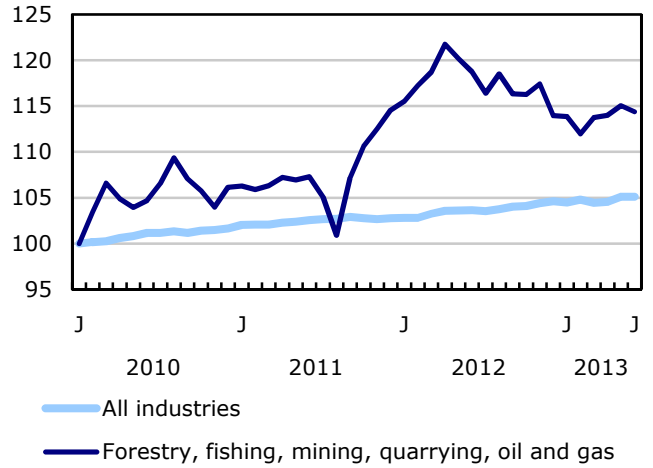
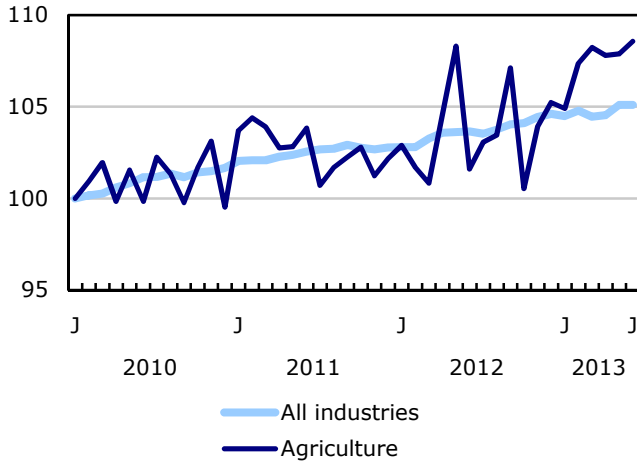
**Employment rate (%)**



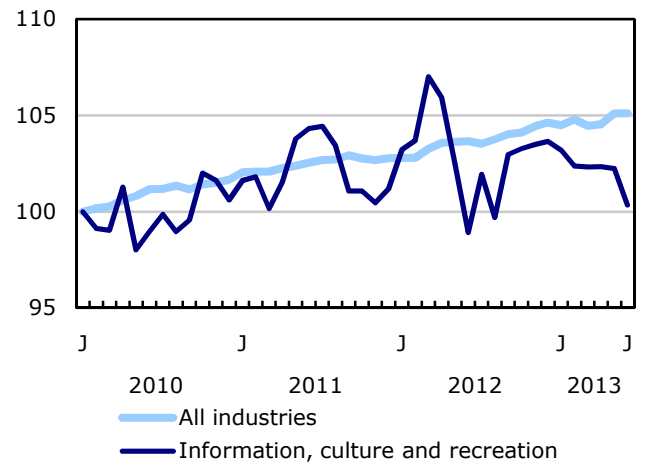
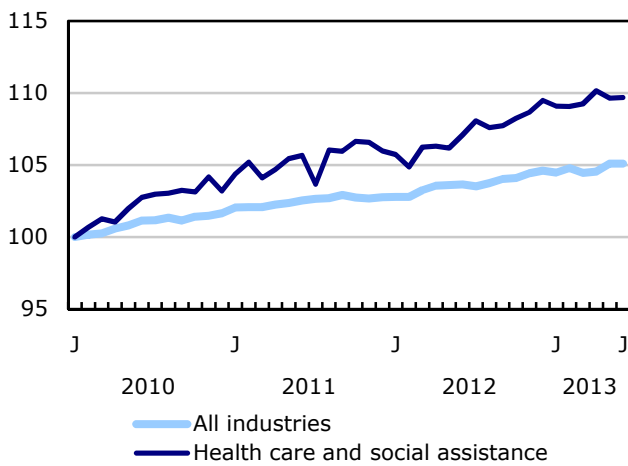
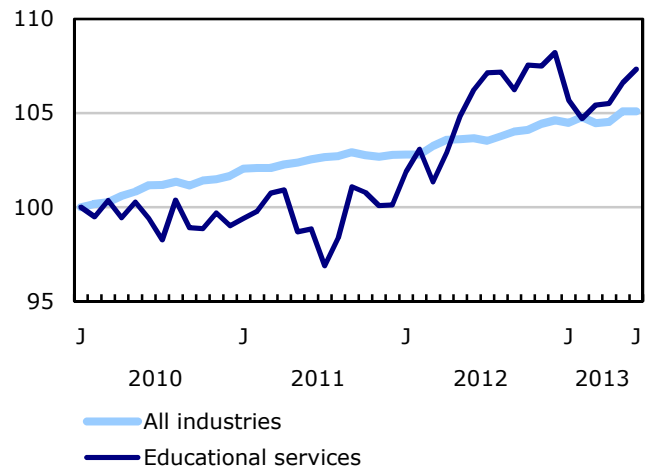
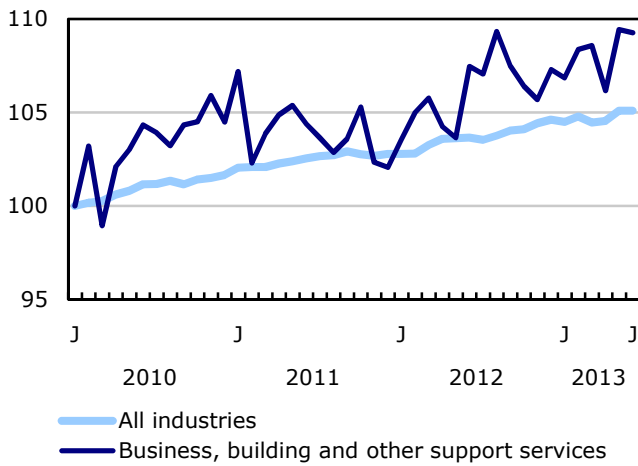
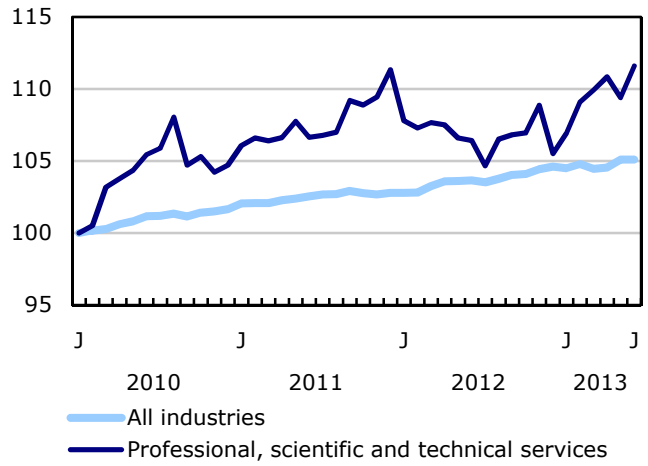
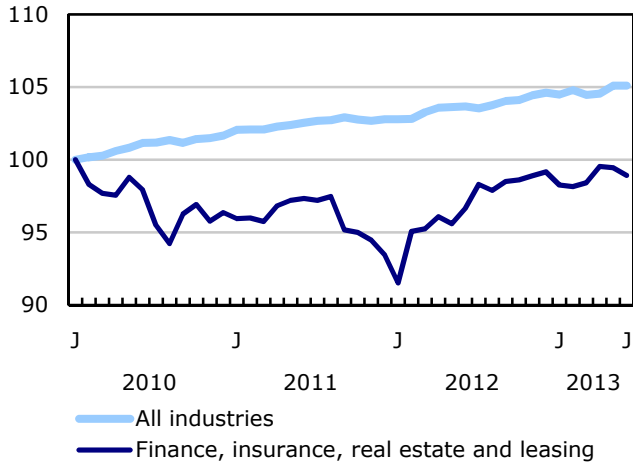
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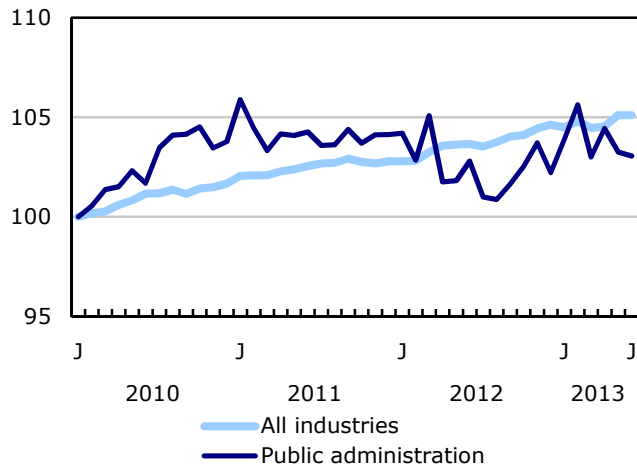
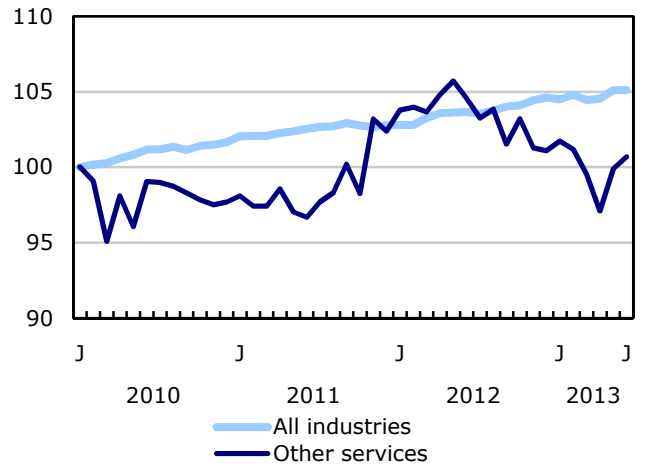
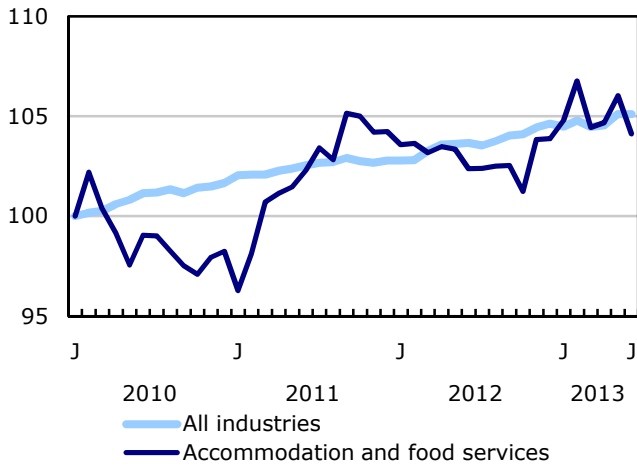
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**Index of employment by industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted, January 2010=100**



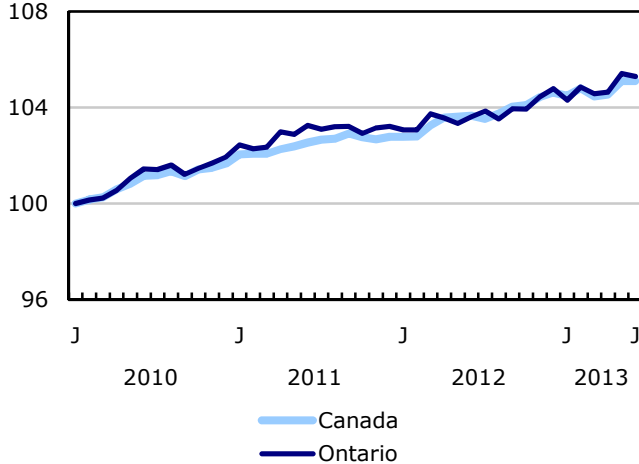
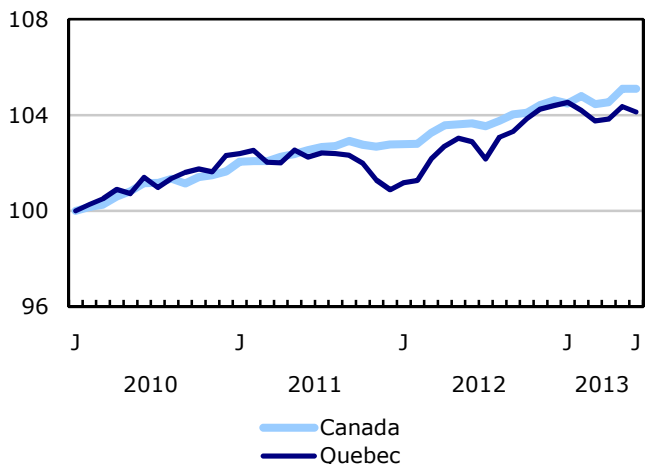
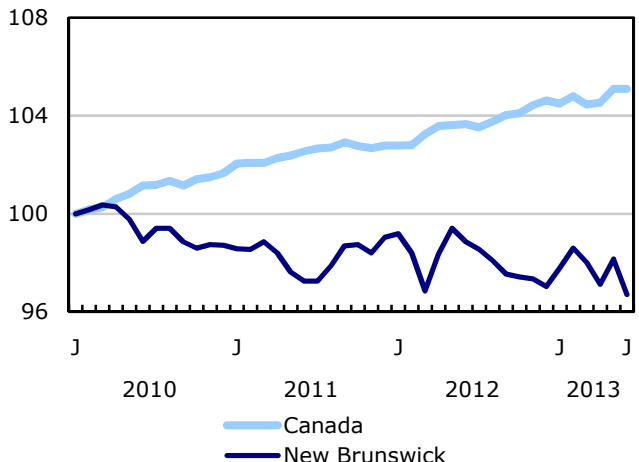
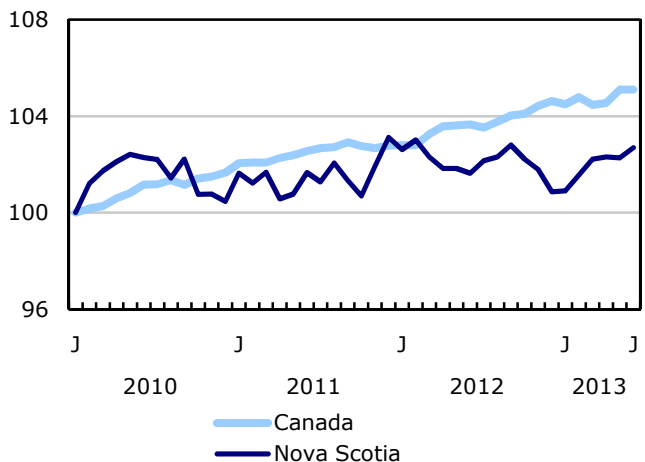
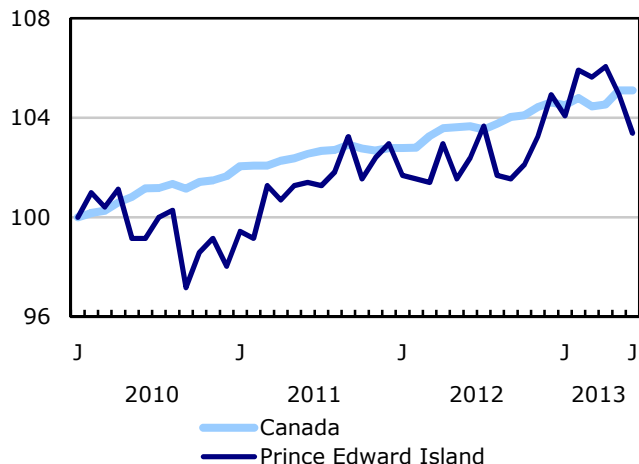
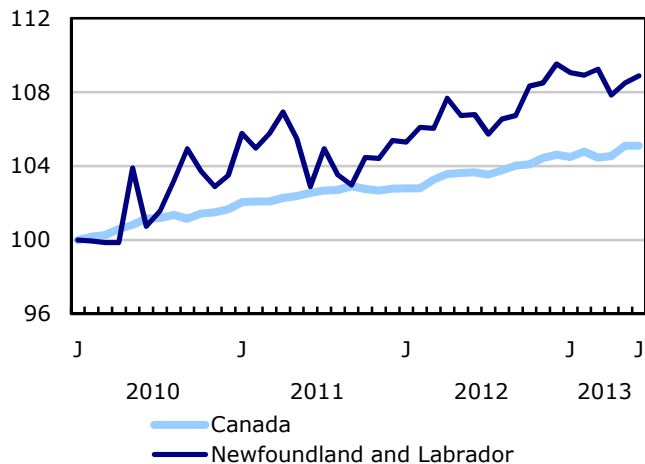
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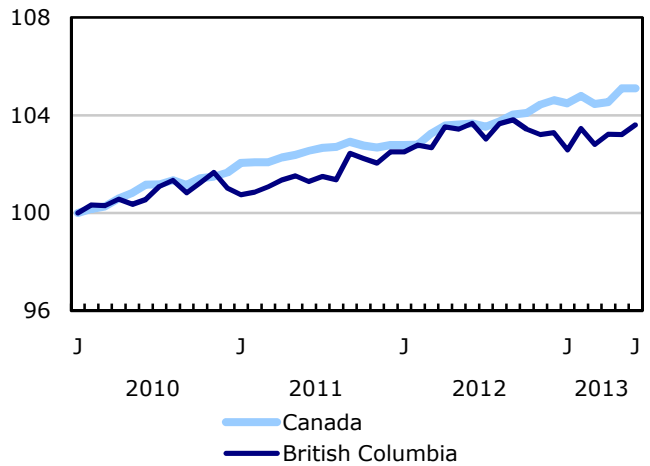
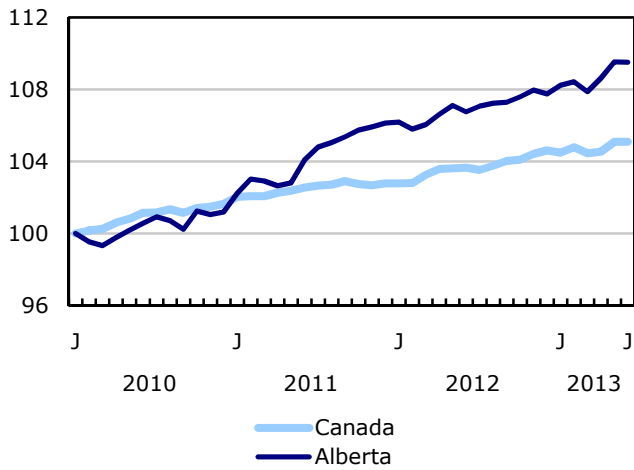
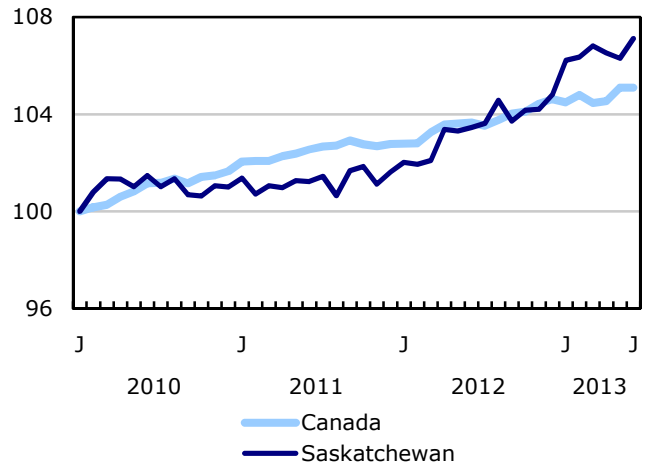
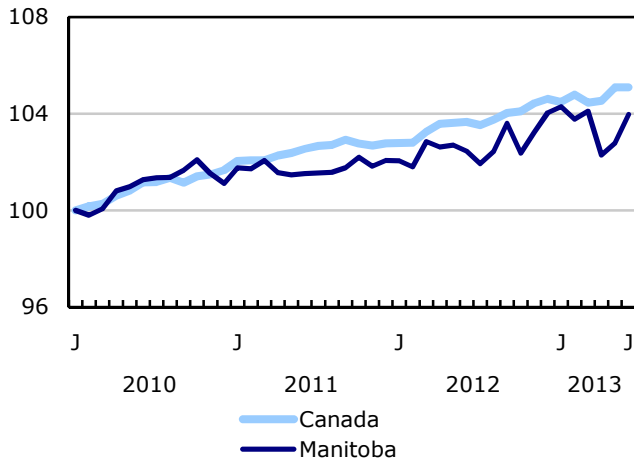


**Chart 6**  
**Index of employment by province, seasonally adjusted, January 2010=100**





**Chart 7**  
**Index of employment by province, seasonally adjusted, January 2010=100**



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**Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>15 years and over, both sexes</b>									
Population	28,619.6	<b>28,656.6</b>	...	<b>37.0</b>	188.0	355.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	19,097.0	<b>19,104.1</b>	29.1	<b>7.1</b>	78.1	245.0	<b>0.0</b>	0.4	1.3
Employment	17,749.4	<b>17,749.0</b>	28.7	<b>-0.4</b>	81.4	242.3	<b>0.0</b>	0.5	1.4
Employment full-time	14,431.7	<b>14,399.3</b>	38.2	<b>-32.4</b>	39.3	188.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.3	1.3
Employment part-time	3,317.6	<b>3,349.8</b>	35.1	<b>32.2</b>	42.2	53.9	<b>1.0</b>	1.3	1.6
Unemployment	1,347.6	<b>1,355.1</b>	25.2	<b>7.5</b>	-3.3	2.7	<b>0.6</b>	-0.2	0.2
Participation rate	66.7	<b>66.7</b>	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	-0.1	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.1	<b>7.1</b>	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.0	<b>61.9</b>	0.1	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.2	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.7	<b>18.9</b>	0.2	<b>0.2</b>	0.2	0.0	...	...	...
<b>15 to 24 years, both sexes</b>									
Population	4,450.1	<b>4,450.4</b>	...	<b>0.3</b>	-5.7	-7.1	<b>0.0</b>	-0.1	-0.2
Labour force	2,873.4	<b>2,883.5</b>	17.2	<b>10.1</b>	47.5	28.1	<b>0.4</b>	1.7	1.0
Employment	2,482.5	<b>2,485.8</b>	15.9	<b>3.3</b>	50.7	52.6	<b>0.1</b>	2.1	2.2
Employment full-time	1,338.0	<b>1,292.1</b>	18.5	<b>-45.9</b>	16.0	7.7	<b>-3.4</b>	1.3	0.6
Employment part-time	1,144.6	<b>1,193.7</b>	19.4	<b>49.1</b>	34.7	44.9	<b>4.3</b>	3.0	3.9
Unemployment	390.9	<b>397.6</b>	15.1	<b>6.7</b>	-3.2	-24.6	<b>1.7</b>	-0.8	-5.8
Participation rate	64.6	<b>64.8</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	1.2	0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	13.6	<b>13.8</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	-0.3	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.8	<b>55.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	1.3	1.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	46.1	<b>48.0</b>	0.7	<b>1.9</b>	0.4	0.8	...	...	...
<b>25 years and over, men</b>									
Population	11,831.8	<b>11,850.2</b>	...	<b>18.4</b>	96.6	181.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.8	1.6
Labour force	8,593.7	<b>8,577.2</b>	15.1	<b>-16.5</b>	10.5	98.0	<b>-0.2</b>	0.1	1.2
Employment	8,058.4	<b>8,048.8</b>	16.3	<b>-9.6</b>	-1.6	86.2	<b>-0.1</b>	0.0	1.1
Employment full-time	7,442.2	<b>7,428.3</b>	21.6	<b>-13.9</b>	-15.7	66.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	0.9
Employment part-time	616.3	<b>620.4</b>	17.4	<b>4.1</b>	14.0	19.8	<b>0.7</b>	2.3	3.3
Unemployment	535.3	<b>528.4</b>	14.7	<b>-6.9</b>	12.1	11.8	<b>-1.3</b>	2.3	2.3
Participation rate	72.6	<b>72.4</b>	0.1	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.5	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.2	<b>6.2</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	68.1	<b>67.9</b>	0.1	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.6	-0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.6	<b>7.7</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.2	...	...	...
<b>25 years and over, women</b>									
Population	12,337.6	<b>12,355.9</b>	...	<b>18.3</b>	97.0	180.9	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.5
Labour force	7,629.8	<b>7,643.5</b>	16.5	<b>13.7</b>	20.2	118.9	<b>0.2</b>	0.3	1.6
Employment	7,208.4	<b>7,214.4</b>	16.4	<b>6.0</b>	32.3	103.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	1.5
Employment full-time	5,651.6	<b>5,678.9</b>	25.0	<b>27.3</b>	39.0	114.4	<b>0.5</b>	0.7	2.1
Employment part-time	1,556.8	<b>1,535.6</b>	23.6	<b>-21.2</b>	-6.6	-10.9	<b>-1.4</b>	-0.4	-0.7
Unemployment	421.4	<b>429.0</b>	13.4	<b>7.6</b>	-12.2	15.4	<b>1.8</b>	-2.8	3.7
Participation rate	61.8	<b>61.9</b>	0.1	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.5	<b>5.6</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	-0.2	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	<b>58.4</b>	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	-0.2	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.6	<b>21.3</b>	0.3	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.2	-0.5	...	...	...
<b>25 to 54 years, both sexes</b>									
Population	14,595.3	<b>14,605.0</b>	...	<b>9.7</b>	25.6	39.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.3
Labour force	12,646.7	<b>12,640.6</b>	21.7	<b>-6.1</b>	-63.9	63.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	0.5
Employment	11,897.5	<b>11,900.9</b>	23.3	<b>3.4</b>	-53.5	51.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.4	0.4
Employment full-time	749.2	<b>739.7</b>	18.4	<b>-9.5</b>	-10.4	12.0	<b>-1.3</b>	-1.4	1.6
Employment part-time	86.6	<b>86.5</b>	0.1	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.6	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment	5.9	<b>5.9</b>	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.1	...	...	...
Participation rate	81.5	<b>81.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
<b>25 to 54 years, men</b>									
Population	7,302.5	<b>7,307.6</b>	...	<b>5.1</b>	13.2	20.6	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.3
Labour force	6,626.5	<b>6,614.6</b>	13.9	<b>-11.9</b>	-47.5	14.9	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.7	0.2
Employment	6,219.7	<b>6,211.0</b>	15.7	<b>-8.7</b>	-55.6	11.2	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.9	0.2
Employment full-time	406.9	<b>403.6</b>	13.5	<b>-3.3</b>	8.1	3.7	<b>-0.8</b>	2.0	0.9
Employment part-time	90.7	<b>90.5</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.8	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment	6.1	<b>6.1</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	0.0	...	...	...
Participation rate	85.2	<b>85.0</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.9	-0.1	...	...	...

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Table 1 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by age and sex, Canada, seasonally adjusted

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>25 to 54 years, women</b>									
Population	7,292.8	<b>7,297.4</b>	...	<b>4.6</b>	12.4	18.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.3
Labour force	6,020.2	<b>6,026.0</b>	15.9	<b>5.8</b>	-16.4	48.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	0.8
Employment	5,677.8	<b>5,689.9</b>	16.3	<b>12.1</b>	2.1	40.0	<b>0.2</b>	0.0	0.7
Unemployment	342.4	<b>336.1</b>	12.3	<b>-6.3</b>	-18.5	8.3	<b>-1.8</b>	-5.2	2.5
Participation rate	82.5	<b>82.6</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	<b>5.6</b>	0.2	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.3	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	77.9	<b>78.0</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	-0.1	0.4	...	...	...
<b>55 years and over, both sexes</b>									
Population	9,574.2	<b>9,601.2</b>	...	<b>27.0</b>	168.1	323.3	<b>0.3</b>	1.8	3.5
Labour force	3,576.8	<b>3,580.0</b>	17.3	<b>3.2</b>	94.5	153.7	<b>0.1</b>	2.7	4.5
Employment	3,369.3	<b>3,362.3</b>	17.3	<b>-7.0</b>	84.2	138.5	<b>-0.2</b>	2.6	4.3
Unemployment	207.5	<b>217.7</b>	9.4	<b>10.2</b>	10.3	15.2	<b>4.9</b>	5.0	7.5
Participation rate	37.4	<b>37.3</b>	0.2	<b>-0.1</b>	0.4	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.8	<b>6.1</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	0.1	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	35.2	<b>35.0</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	0.3	...	...	...
<b>55 years and over, men</b>									
Population	4,529.3	<b>4,542.6</b>	...	<b>13.3</b>	83.4	160.8	<b>0.3</b>	1.9	3.7
Labour force	1,967.2	<b>1,962.5</b>	11.3	<b>-4.7</b>	57.9	83.1	<b>-0.2</b>	3.0	4.4
Employment	1,838.7	<b>1,837.8</b>	11.4	<b>-0.9</b>	54.0	75.1	<b>0.0</b>	3.0	4.3
Unemployment	128.5	<b>124.8</b>	6.9	<b>-3.7</b>	4.0	8.1	<b>-2.9</b>	3.3	6.9
Participation rate	43.4	<b>43.2</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.5	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.5	<b>6.4</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	0.1	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	40.6	<b>40.5</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	0.3	...	...	...
<b>55 years and over, women</b>									
Population	5,044.9	<b>5,058.5</b>	...	<b>13.6</b>	84.6	162.4	<b>0.3</b>	1.7	3.3
Labour force	1,609.6	<b>1,617.5</b>	11.9	<b>7.9</b>	36.6	70.6	<b>0.5</b>	2.3	4.6
Employment	1,530.6	<b>1,524.5</b>	11.8	<b>-6.1</b>	30.2	63.4	<b>-0.4</b>	2.0	4.3
Unemployment	79.0	<b>93.0</b>	6.4	<b>14.0</b>	6.4	7.2	<b>17.7</b>	7.4	8.4
Participation rate	31.9	<b>32.0</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.9	<b>5.7</b>	0.4	<b>0.8</b>	0.2	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	30.3	<b>30.1</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	0.1	0.3	...	...	...

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM table 282-0087. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 2**  
**Employment by class of worker and industry, Canada, seasonally adjusted**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands									
<b>Class of worker</b>									
Employees	15,031.1	<b>15,026.7</b>	35.7	<b>-4.4</b>	10.7	191.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	1.3
Self-employed <sup>2</sup>	2,718.3	<b>2,722.3</b>	25.5	<b>4.0</b>	70.7	50.7	<b>0.1</b>	2.7	1.9
<b>Public/private sector employees</b>									
Public sector employees	3,664.0	<b>3,665.0</b>	25.0	<b>1.0</b>	16.5	54.7	<b>0.0</b>	0.5	1.5
Private sector employees	11,367.1	<b>11,361.8</b>	37.9	<b>-5.3</b>	-5.7	137.0	<b>0.0</b>	-0.1	1.2
<b>Industry</b>	17,749.4	<b>17,749.0</b>	28.7	<b>-0.4</b>	81.4	242.3	<b>0.0</b>	0.5	1.4
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	3,879.2	<b>3,887.1</b>	26.6	<b>7.9</b>	7.7	-10.1	<b>0.2</b>	0.2	-0.3
Agriculture	321.2	<b>323.2</b>	7.2	<b>2.0</b>	9.9	20.7	<b>0.6</b>	3.2	6.8
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>3</sup>	360.8	<b>358.7</b>	7.3	<b>-2.1</b>	1.3	-13.7	<b>-0.6</b>	0.4	-3.7
Utilities	131.8	<b>134.1</b>	4.9	<b>2.3</b>	-10.9	-6.7	<b>1.7</b>	-7.5	-4.8
Construction	1,343.3	<b>1,344.7</b>	17.1	<b>1.4</b>	68.2	78.3	<b>0.1</b>	5.3	6.2
Manufacturing	1,722.2	<b>1,726.4</b>	19.9	<b>4.2</b>	-60.8	-88.8	<b>0.2</b>	-3.4	-4.9
<b>Services-producing sector</b>	13,870.1	<b>13,862.0</b>	34.3	<b>-8.1</b>	73.8	252.5	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.9
Trade	2,712.5	<b>2,703.0</b>	23.6	<b>-9.5</b>	12.2	68.5	<b>-0.4</b>	0.5	2.6
Transportation and warehousing	860.0	<b>862.7</b>	14.1	<b>2.7</b>	2.6	16.0	<b>0.3</b>	0.3	1.9
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	1,122.8	<b>1,116.8</b>	16.0	<b>-6.0</b>	-2.7	25.7	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.2	2.4
Professional, scientific and technical services	1,330.4	<b>1,357.4</b>	18.4	<b>27.0</b>	74.1	63.0	<b>2.0</b>	5.8	4.9
Business, building and other support services	712.9	<b>711.7</b>	14.3	<b>-1.2</b>	12.8	11.7	<b>-0.2</b>	1.8	1.7
Educational services	1,304.0	<b>1,312.8</b>	17.2	<b>8.8</b>	-11.0	13.5	<b>0.7</b>	-0.8	1.0
Health care and social assistance	2,177.2	<b>2,177.8</b>	19.3	<b>0.6</b>	3.9	51.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	2.4
Information, culture and recreation	784.5	<b>770.0</b>	14.5	<b>-14.5</b>	-25.4	11.0	<b>-1.8</b>	-3.2	1.4
Accommodation and food services	1,135.4	<b>1,115.1</b>	16.8	<b>-20.3</b>	2.6	18.8	<b>-1.8</b>	0.2	1.7
Other services	767.5	<b>773.5</b>	13.8	<b>6.0</b>	-3.1	-29.8	<b>0.8</b>	-0.4	-3.7
Public administration	962.9	<b>961.1</b>	12.6	<b>-1.8</b>	7.8	2.5	<b>-0.2</b>	0.8	0.3

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Includes both incorporated and unincorporated working owners, self-employed persons who do not have a business and persons working in a family business without pay.

3. Also referred to as Natural resources.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0088, 282-0089. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 3**  
**Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Newfoundland and Labrador</b>									
Population	429.5	<b>429.5</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	1.4	2.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	0.6
Labour force	264.1	<b>263.1</b>	2.0	<b>-1.0</b>	-3.7	-0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.4	-0.2
Employment	233.5	<b>234.3</b>	2.1	<b>0.8</b>	-1.4	4.5	<b>0.3</b>	-0.6	2.0
Employment full-time	201.3	<b>199.6</b>	2.4	<b>-1.7</b>	-0.9	3.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.4	1.6
Employment part-time	32.2	<b>34.7</b>	1.9	<b>2.5</b>	-0.5	1.3	<b>7.8</b>	-1.4	3.9
Unemployment	30.6	<b>28.8</b>	1.8	<b>-1.8</b>	-2.2	-4.8	<b>-5.9</b>	-7.1	-14.3
Participation rate	61.5	<b>61.3</b>	0.5	<b>-0.2</b>	-1.0	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.6	<b>10.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.7	-1.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.4	<b>54.6</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	-0.5	0.8	...	...	...
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>									
Population	120.7	<b>120.8</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.2
Labour force	83.9	<b>82.5</b>	0.6	<b>-1.4</b>	-1.3	0.3	<b>-1.7</b>	-1.6	0.4
Employment	74.5	<b>73.4</b>	0.7	<b>-1.1</b>	-1.1	0.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-1.5	1.0
Employment full-time	61.7	<b>60.1</b>	0.8	<b>-1.6</b>	-0.6	-0.7	<b>-2.6</b>	-1.0	-1.2
Employment part-time	12.8	<b>13.3</b>	0.8	<b>0.5</b>	-0.5	1.4	<b>3.9</b>	-3.6	11.8
Unemployment	9.4	<b>9.0</b>	0.7	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.2	-0.4	<b>-4.3</b>	-2.2	-4.3
Participation rate	69.5	<b>68.3</b>	0.5	<b>-1.2</b>	-1.2	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.2	<b>10.9</b>	0.8	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.7	<b>60.8</b>	0.5	<b>-0.9</b>	-1.0	0.5	...	...	...
<b>Nova Scotia</b>									
Population	781.1	<b>781.3</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.5	1.0	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.1
Labour force	499.3	<b>503.2</b>	2.6	<b>3.9</b>	7.3	2.1	<b>0.8</b>	1.5	0.4
Employment	456.0	<b>457.9</b>	2.8	<b>1.9</b>	8.1	4.7	<b>0.4</b>	1.8	1.0
Employment full-time	370.7	<b>368.9</b>	3.6	<b>-1.8</b>	5.7	6.1	<b>-0.5</b>	1.6	1.7
Employment part-time	85.3	<b>89.0</b>	3.2	<b>3.7</b>	2.4	-1.4	<b>4.3</b>	2.8	-1.5
Unemployment	43.3	<b>45.3</b>	2.4	<b>2.0</b>	-0.8	-2.6	<b>4.6</b>	-1.7	-5.4
Participation rate	63.9	<b>64.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.5</b>	0.9	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.7	<b>9.0</b>	0.5	<b>0.3</b>	-0.3	-0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	<b>58.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	0.5	...	...	...
<b>New Brunswick</b>									
Population	619.9	<b>619.7</b>	...	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.3	-0.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.1
Labour force	392.8	<b>390.2</b>	2.2	<b>-2.6</b>	0.4	-1.6	<b>-0.7</b>	0.1	-0.4
Employment	351.7	<b>346.5</b>	2.3	<b>-5.2</b>	-1.2	-7.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-0.3	-2.2
Employment full-time	293.4	<b>291.0</b>	2.8	<b>-2.4</b>	-2.4	-7.3	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.8	-2.4
Employment part-time	58.3	<b>55.5</b>	2.3	<b>-2.8</b>	1.2	-0.4	<b>-4.8</b>	2.2	-0.7
Unemployment	41.2	<b>43.7</b>	2.2	<b>2.5</b>	1.6	6.1	<b>6.1</b>	3.8	16.2
Participation rate	63.4	<b>63.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.5	<b>11.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.7</b>	0.4	1.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.7	<b>55.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.2	-1.2	...	...	...
<b>Quebec</b>									
Population	6,684.6	<b>6,689.7</b>	...	<b>5.1</b>	25.4	55.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	0.8
Labour force	4,379.3	<b>4,379.3</b>	15.0	<b>0.0</b>	14.8	63.9	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	1.5
Employment	4,042.6	<b>4,034.2</b>	15.3	<b>-8.4</b>	-10.0	48.0	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	1.2
Employment full-time	3,266.2	<b>3,248.4</b>	20.0	<b>-17.8</b>	-39.8	19.6	<b>-0.5</b>	-1.2	0.6
Employment part-time	776.4	<b>785.8</b>	18.1	<b>9.4</b>	29.7	28.4	<b>1.2</b>	3.9	3.7
Unemployment	336.7	<b>345.1</b>	13.5	<b>8.4</b>	24.8	15.9	<b>2.5</b>	7.7	4.8
Participation rate	65.5	<b>65.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.7	<b>7.9</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.6	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.5	<b>60.3</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.4	0.2	...	...	...
<b>Ontario</b>									
Population	11,184.5	<b>11,197.2</b>	...	<b>12.7</b>	69.1	130.9	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.2
Labour force	7,437.5	<b>7,441.8</b>	20.0	<b>4.3</b>	-0.2	97.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.0	1.3
Employment	6,895.3	<b>6,887.1</b>	19.3	<b>-8.2</b>	32.9	109.8	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.6
Employment full-time	5,613.5	<b>5,574.8</b>	25.6	<b>-38.7</b>	27.6	65.3	<b>-0.7</b>	0.5	1.2
Employment part-time	1,281.8	<b>1,312.3</b>	23.6	<b>30.5</b>	5.2	44.5	<b>2.4</b>	0.4	3.5
Unemployment	542.2	<b>554.7</b>	17.6	<b>12.5</b>	-33.0	-12.3	<b>2.3</b>	-5.6	-2.2
Participation rate	66.5	<b>66.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.4	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.3	<b>7.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.2</b>	-0.4	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.7	<b>61.5</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	0.3	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 3 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by province, seasonally adjusted

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Manitoba</b>									
Population	971.9	<b>973.0</b>	...	<b>1.1</b>	5.7	10.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.1
Labour force	668.4	<b>671.8</b>	2.6	<b>3.4</b>	-1.7	8.6	<b>0.5</b>	-0.3	1.3
Employment	630.7	<b>638.0</b>	2.7	<b>7.3</b>	-0.4	9.3	<b>1.2</b>	-0.1	1.5
Employment full-time	508.9	<b>513.7</b>	3.6	<b>4.8</b>	-2.2	5.5	<b>0.9</b>	-0.4	1.1
Employment part-time	121.8	<b>124.3</b>	3.5	<b>2.5</b>	1.8	3.8	<b>2.1</b>	1.5	3.2
Unemployment	37.8	<b>33.8</b>	2.2	<b>-4.0</b>	-1.4	-0.7	<b>-10.6</b>	-4.0	-2.0
Participation rate	68.8	<b>69.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-0.6	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	<b>5.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.9	<b>65.6</b>	0.3	<b>0.7</b>	-0.4	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Saskatchewan</b>									
Population	823.2	<b>825.0</b>	...	<b>1.8</b>	7.4	14.8	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.8
Labour force	577.9	<b>577.9</b>	2.5	<b>0.0</b>	7.3	13.4	<b>0.0</b>	1.3	2.4
Employment	552.0	<b>556.3</b>	2.6	<b>4.3</b>	12.0	19.1	<b>0.8</b>	2.2	3.6
Employment full-time	457.8	<b>460.7</b>	3.3	<b>2.9</b>	13.6	17.4	<b>0.6</b>	3.0	3.9
Employment part-time	94.2	<b>95.6</b>	3.1	<b>1.4</b>	-1.6	1.7	<b>1.5</b>	-1.6	1.8
Unemployment	25.9	<b>21.6</b>	1.9	<b>-4.3</b>	-4.7	-5.8	<b>-16.6</b>	-17.9	-21.2
Participation rate	70.2	<b>70.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.5	<b>3.7</b>	0.3	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.9	-1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	67.1	<b>67.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	0.8	1.1	...	...	...
<b>Alberta</b>									
Population	3,156.1	<b>3,168.0</b>	...	<b>11.9</b>	56.5	102.0	<b>0.4</b>	1.8	3.3
Labour force	2,313.5	<b>2,317.0</b>	8.7	<b>3.5</b>	49.4	69.1	<b>0.2</b>	2.2	3.1
Employment	2,201.3	<b>2,200.6</b>	8.9	<b>-0.7</b>	35.3	55.1	<b>0.0</b>	1.6	2.6
Employment full-time	1,855.0	<b>1,857.3</b>	11.8	<b>2.3</b>	30.6	69.5	<b>0.1</b>	1.7	3.9
Employment part-time	346.3	<b>343.3</b>	10.9	<b>-3.0</b>	4.8	-14.4	<b>-0.9</b>	1.4	-4.0
Unemployment	112.2	<b>116.5</b>	6.8	<b>4.3</b>	14.2	14.1	<b>3.8</b>	13.9	13.8
Participation rate	73.3	<b>73.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.8	<b>5.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.5	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.7	<b>69.5</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
<b>British Columbia</b>									
Population	3,848.1	<b>3,852.3</b>	...	<b>4.2</b>	22.0	38.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.0
Labour force	2,480.3	<b>2,477.3</b>	10.7	<b>-3.0</b>	5.7	-8.0	<b>-0.1</b>	0.2	-0.3
Employment	2,311.8	<b>2,320.7</b>	10.3	<b>8.9</b>	7.2	-1.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.3	-0.1
Employment full-time	1,803.2	<b>1,824.8</b>	14.5	<b>21.6</b>	7.7	9.9	<b>1.2</b>	0.4	0.5
Employment part-time	508.6	<b>495.9</b>	13.6	<b>-12.7</b>	-0.5	-11.1	<b>-2.5</b>	-0.1	-2.2
Unemployment	168.4	<b>156.6</b>	8.6	<b>-11.8</b>	-1.5	-6.8	<b>-7.0</b>	-0.9	-4.2
Participation rate	64.5	<b>64.3</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	<b>6.3</b>	0.3	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.1	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.1	<b>60.2</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.2	-0.7	...	...	...

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Table 282-0087. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.



**Table 4-1**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Newfoundland and Labrador**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	429.5	<b>429.5</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	1.4	2.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	0.6
Labour force	264.1	<b>263.1</b>	2.0	<b>-1.0</b>	-3.7	-0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.4	-0.2
Employment	233.5	<b>234.3</b>	2.1	<b>0.8</b>	-1.4	4.5	<b>0.3</b>	-0.6	2.0
Employment full-time	201.3	<b>199.6</b>	2.4	<b>-1.7</b>	-0.9	3.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.4	1.6
Unemployment	30.6	<b>28.8</b>	1.8	<b>-1.8</b>	-2.2	-4.8	<b>-5.9</b>	-7.1	-14.3
Participation rate	61.5	<b>61.3</b>	0.5	<b>-0.2</b>	-1.0	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.6	<b>10.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.7	-1.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.4	<b>54.6</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	-0.5	0.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	13.8	<b>14.8</b>	0.8	<b>1.0</b>	-0.1	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	58.8	<b>58.7</b>	...	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.4	-0.8	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.7	-1.3
Labour force	35.7	<b>35.0</b>	1.1	<b>-0.7</b>	-3.1	-1.6	<b>-2.0</b>	-8.1	-4.4
Employment	29.4	<b>29.4</b>	1.0	<b>0.0</b>	-2.2	-0.3	<b>0.0</b>	-7.0	-1.0
Unemployment	6.3	<b>5.6</b>	1.0	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.9	-1.3	<b>-11.1</b>	-13.8	-18.8
Participation rate	60.7	<b>59.6</b>	1.8	<b>-1.1</b>	-4.9	-1.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	17.6	<b>16.0</b>	2.5	<b>-1.6</b>	-1.1	-2.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	50.0	<b>50.1</b>	1.7	<b>0.1</b>	-3.4	0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	37.1	<b>42.2</b>	3.5	<b>5.1</b>	4.2	-7.3	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	179.0	<b>179.1</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.6	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	0.9
Labour force	119.5	<b>119.2</b>	1.1	<b>-0.3</b>	0.0	1.3	<b>-0.3</b>	0.0	1.1
Employment	106.0	<b>106.0</b>	1.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	2.9	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	2.8
Unemployment	13.5	<b>13.2</b>	1.2	<b>-0.3</b>	0.0	-1.6	<b>-2.2</b>	0.0	-10.8
Participation rate	66.8	<b>66.6</b>	0.6	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.3	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.3	<b>11.1</b>	1.0	<b>-0.2</b>	0.0	-1.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.2	<b>59.2</b>	0.7	<b>0.0</b>	-0.3	1.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	4.9	<b>5.1</b>	0.7	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	0.7	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	191.6	<b>191.7</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.9	1.7	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	0.9
Labour force	108.9	<b>108.9</b>	1.1	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	0.0	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	0.0
Employment	98.1	<b>98.9</b>	1.1	<b>0.8</b>	0.8	1.9	<b>0.8</b>	0.8	2.0
Unemployment	10.8	<b>10.0</b>	1.0	<b>-0.8</b>	-1.4	-2.0	<b>-7.4</b>	-12.3	-16.7
Participation rate	56.8	<b>56.8</b>	0.6	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.9	<b>9.2</b>	0.9	<b>-0.7</b>	-1.2	-1.8	...	...	...
Employment rate	51.2	<b>51.6</b>	0.6	<b>0.4</b>	0.2	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.3	<b>17.1</b>	1.2	<b>0.8</b>	-2.0	2.4	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
	233.5	<b>234.3</b>	2.1	<b>0.8</b>	-1.4	4.5	<b>0.3</b>	-0.6	2.0
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>									
Agriculture	50.2	<b>53.9</b>	1.6	<b>3.7</b>	3.9	3.3	<b>7.4</b>	7.8	6.5
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	0.7	<b>0.9</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-1.0	-0.7	<b>28.6</b>	-52.6	-43.8
Utilities	14.8	<b>16.1</b>	0.9	<b>1.3</b>	1.5	0.4	<b>8.8</b>	10.3	2.5
Construction	2.4	<b>2.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	-0.8	-0.2	<b>4.2</b>	-24.2	-7.4
Manufacturing	21.4	<b>22.1</b>	1.1	<b>0.7</b>	2.1	3.2	<b>3.3</b>	10.5	16.9
	10.9	<b>12.3</b>	0.9	<b>1.4</b>	2.1	0.6	<b>12.8</b>	20.6	5.1
<b>Services-producing sector</b>									
Trade	183.3	<b>180.5</b>	2.0	<b>-2.8</b>	-5.2	1.3	<b>-1.5</b>	-2.8	0.7
Transportation and warehousing	38.2	<b>38.2</b>	1.3	<b>0.0</b>	5.0	1.9	<b>0.0</b>	15.1	5.2
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	10.8	<b>10.6</b>	0.8	<b>-0.2</b>	-2.0	0.4	<b>-1.9</b>	-15.9	3.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	8.8	<b>8.2</b>	0.6	<b>-0.6</b>	-1.9	-0.8	<b>-6.8</b>	-18.8	-8.9
Business, building and other support services	8.9	<b>8.8</b>	0.8	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.2	-1.3	<b>-1.1</b>	-2.2	-12.9
Educational services	6.9	<b>6.6</b>	0.7	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.3	-0.7	<b>-4.3</b>	-4.3	-9.6
Health care and social assistance	18.5	<b>18.5</b>	1.0	<b>0.0</b>	-1.2	0.4	<b>0.0</b>	-6.1	2.2
Information, culture and recreation	37.5	<b>35.9</b>	1.2	<b>-1.6</b>	-1.8	-0.5	<b>-4.3</b>	-4.8	-1.4
Accommodation and food services	6.0	<b>6.6</b>	0.6	<b>0.6</b>	-0.8	-0.4	<b>10.0</b>	-10.8	-5.7
Other services	14.8	<b>13.4</b>	0.9	<b>-1.4</b>	-1.5	-0.2	<b>-9.5</b>	-10.1	-1.5
Public administration	14.0	<b>14.7</b>	0.9	<b>0.7</b>	-0.2	2.0	<b>5.0</b>	-1.3	15.7
	19.1	<b>18.9</b>	0.9	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.5	0.7	<b>-1.0</b>	-2.6	3.8

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 4-2**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Prince Edward Island**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	120.7	<b>120.8</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.2
Labour force	83.9	<b>82.5</b>	0.6	<b>-1.4</b>	-1.3	0.3	<b>-1.7</b>	-1.6	0.4
Employment	74.5	<b>73.4</b>	0.7	<b>-1.1</b>	-1.1	0.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-1.5	1.0
Employment full-time	61.7	<b>60.1</b>	0.8	<b>-1.6</b>	-0.6	-0.7	<b>-2.6</b>	-1.0	-1.2
Unemployment	9.4	<b>9.0</b>	0.7	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.2	-0.4	<b>-4.3</b>	-2.2	-4.3
Participation rate	69.5	<b>68.3</b>	0.5	<b>-1.2</b>	-1.2	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.2	<b>10.9</b>	0.8	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.7	<b>60.8</b>	0.5	<b>-0.9</b>	-1.0	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	17.2	<b>18.1</b>	1.0	<b>0.9</b>	-0.4	1.8	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	19.9	<b>19.9</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-1.0
Labour force	13.7	<b>13.7</b>	0.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	-0.3	<b>0.0</b>	2.2	-2.1
Employment	11.6	<b>11.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	0.3	0.2	<b>-0.9</b>	2.7	1.8
Unemployment	2.2	<b>2.3</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.1	-0.5	<b>4.5</b>	4.5	-17.9
Participation rate	68.8	<b>68.8</b>	2.0	<b>0.0</b>	1.5	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	16.1	<b>16.8</b>	2.6	<b>0.7</b>	0.4	-3.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.3	<b>57.8</b>	1.8	<b>-0.5</b>	1.5	1.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	44.8	<b>44.3</b>	3.9	<b>-0.5</b>	-3.0	5.4	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	48.4	<b>48.4</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.0	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.0
Labour force	35.5	<b>35.2</b>	0.3	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.9	0.4	<b>-0.8</b>	-2.5	1.1
Employment	31.8	<b>31.1</b>	0.4	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.7	0.0	<b>-2.2</b>	-2.2	0.0
Unemployment	3.8	<b>4.1</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	-0.2	0.4	<b>7.9</b>	-4.7	10.8
Participation rate	73.3	<b>72.7</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	-1.9	0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.7	<b>11.6</b>	1.1	<b>0.9</b>	-0.3	1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.7	<b>64.3</b>	0.9	<b>-1.4</b>	-1.4	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.2	<b>8.7</b>	1.1	<b>0.5</b>	0.5	1.0	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	52.4	<b>52.5</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.6	0.8
Labour force	34.6	<b>33.5</b>	0.3	<b>-1.1</b>	-0.7	0.2	<b>-3.2</b>	-2.0	0.6
Employment	31.2	<b>30.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.6	0.6	<b>-1.0</b>	-1.9	2.0
Unemployment	3.4	<b>2.7</b>	0.3	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.1	-0.3	<b>-20.6</b>	-3.6	-10.0
Participation rate	66.0	<b>63.8</b>	0.6	<b>-2.2</b>	-1.7	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.8	<b>8.1</b>	0.9	<b>-1.7</b>	-0.1	-0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.5	<b>58.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	-1.4	0.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.0	<b>17.8</b>	1.4	<b>1.8</b>	-0.6	1.0	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>	74.5	<b>73.4</b>	0.7	<b>-1.1</b>	-1.1	0.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-1.5	1.0
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	17.2	<b>16.6</b>	0.6	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.8	-0.7	<b>-3.5</b>	-4.6	-4.0
Agriculture	4.0	<b>3.8</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.6	-0.1	<b>-5.0</b>	-13.6	-2.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	2.3	<b>2.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.0	-0.5	<b>4.3</b>	0.0	-17.2
Utilities	0.4	<b>0.4</b>	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	-0.1	<b>0.0</b>	33.3	-20.0
Construction	5.9	<b>5.8</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.0	<b>-1.7</b>	9.4	20.8
Manufacturing	4.6	<b>4.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.9	-1.0	<b>-10.9</b>	-18.0	-19.6
<b>Services-producing sector</b>	57.4	<b>56.8</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.3	1.3	<b>-1.0</b>	-0.5	2.3
Trade	11.0	<b>10.4</b>	0.4	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.1	1.1	<b>-5.5</b>	-1.0	11.8
Transportation and warehousing	2.0	<b>2.3</b>	0.2	<b>0.3</b>	0.0	-0.2	<b>15.0</b>	0.0	-8.0
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	2.5	<b>2.4</b>	0.2	<b>-0.1</b>	0.0	-0.2	<b>-4.0</b>	0.0	-7.7
Professional, scientific and technical services	3.2	<b>3.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	-0.9	<b>-6.2</b>	-6.2	-23.1
Business, building and other support services	2.0	<b>2.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	-0.2	-0.6	<b>0.0</b>	-9.1	-23.1
Educational services	6.5	<b>7.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.5</b>	0.1	1.2	<b>7.7</b>	1.4	20.7
Health care and social assistance	10.1	<b>10.3</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	0.5	<b>2.0</b>	7.3	5.1
Information, culture and recreation	3.6	<b>3.5</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.1	<b>-2.8</b>	16.7	45.8
Accommodation and food services	5.1	<b>5.3</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	-0.6	-0.4	<b>3.9</b>	-10.2	-7.0
Other services	3.2	<b>3.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.1	-0.1	<b>-3.1</b>	-3.1	-3.1
Public administration	8.1	<b>7.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.3	-0.2	<b>-7.4</b>	-3.8	-2.6

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 4-3**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Nova Scotia**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	781.1	<b>781.3</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.5	1.0	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.1
Labour force	499.3	<b>503.2</b>	2.6	<b>3.9</b>	7.3	2.1	<b>0.8</b>	1.5	0.4
Employment	456.0	<b>457.9</b>	2.8	<b>1.9</b>	8.1	4.7	<b>0.4</b>	1.8	1.0
Employment full-time	370.7	<b>368.9</b>	3.6	<b>-1.8</b>	5.7	6.1	<b>-0.5</b>	1.6	1.7
Unemployment	43.3	<b>45.3</b>	2.4	<b>2.0</b>	-0.8	-2.6	<b>4.6</b>	-1.7	-5.4
Participation rate	63.9	<b>64.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.5</b>	0.9	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.7	<b>9.0</b>	0.5	<b>0.3</b>	-0.3	-0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	<b>58.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.7	<b>19.4</b>	0.7	<b>0.7</b>	0.2	-0.5	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	116.5	<b>116.4</b>	...	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.8	-1.7	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.7	-1.4
Labour force	73.8	<b>76.4</b>	1.6	<b>2.6</b>	1.7	-1.4	<b>3.5</b>	2.3	-1.8
Employment	60.7	<b>62.1</b>	1.5	<b>1.4</b>	0.7	-0.4	<b>2.3</b>	1.1	-0.6
Unemployment	13.2	<b>14.4</b>	1.5	<b>1.2</b>	1.1	-0.9	<b>9.1</b>	8.3	-5.9
Participation rate	63.3	<b>65.6</b>	1.4	<b>2.3</b>	1.9	-0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	17.9	<b>18.8</b>	1.8	<b>0.9</b>	1.0	-0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	52.1	<b>53.4</b>	1.3	<b>1.3</b>	1.0	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	43.8	<b>44.9</b>	2.6	<b>1.1</b>	-4.6	-7.4	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	315.0	<b>315.1</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	0.4
Labour force	213.9	<b>213.6</b>	1.4	<b>-0.3</b>	1.2	-1.0	<b>-0.1</b>	0.6	-0.5
Employment	196.7	<b>196.5</b>	1.7	<b>-0.2</b>	2.5	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	1.3	0.2
Unemployment	17.2	<b>17.1</b>	1.5	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.3	-1.3	<b>-0.6</b>	-7.1	-7.1
Participation rate	67.9	<b>67.8</b>	0.5	<b>-0.1</b>	0.3	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.0	<b>8.0</b>	0.7	<b>0.0</b>	-0.7	-0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.4	<b>62.4</b>	0.5	<b>0.0</b>	0.7	-0.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.6	<b>8.8</b>	0.8	<b>1.2</b>	0.6	1.2	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	349.6	<b>349.8</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	1.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.4
Labour force	211.6	<b>213.2</b>	1.4	<b>1.6</b>	4.4	4.5	<b>0.8</b>	2.1	2.2
Employment	198.6	<b>199.3</b>	1.5	<b>0.7</b>	4.9	4.8	<b>0.4</b>	2.5	2.5
Unemployment	12.9	<b>13.9</b>	1.2	<b>1.0</b>	-0.5	-0.3	<b>7.8</b>	-3.5	-2.1
Participation rate	60.5	<b>60.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.4</b>	1.1	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.1	<b>6.5</b>	0.6	<b>0.4</b>	-0.4	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.8	<b>57.0</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	1.3	1.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	22.1	<b>22.0</b>	1.0	<b>0.0</b>	1.3	0.0	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
Goods-producing sector	456.0	<b>457.9</b>	2.8	<b>1.9</b>	8.1	4.7	<b>0.4</b>	1.8	1.0
Agriculture	86.0	<b>84.8</b>	2.2	<b>-1.2</b>	3.6	-0.9	<b>-1.4</b>	4.4	-1.1
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	5.3	<b>4.1</b>	0.7	<b>-1.2</b>	-2.0	-1.8	<b>-22.6</b>	-32.8	-30.5
Utilities	11.3	<b>11.1</b>	1.0	<b>-0.2</b>	0.4	-0.7	<b>-1.8</b>	3.7	-5.9
Construction	4.9	<b>4.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.5	0.6	<b>0.0</b>	11.4	14.0
Manufacturing	33.7	<b>34.1</b>	1.5	<b>0.4</b>	4.8	2.6	<b>1.2</b>	16.4	8.3
Services-producing sector	30.8	<b>30.6</b>	1.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	-1.7	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.3	-5.3
Trade	370.0	<b>373.0</b>	2.9	<b>3.0</b>	4.5	5.5	<b>0.8</b>	1.2	1.5
Transportation and warehousing	72.3	<b>72.2</b>	1.9	<b>-0.1</b>	2.5	0.2	<b>-0.1</b>	3.6	0.3
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	20.9	<b>21.1</b>	1.1	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	2.5	<b>1.0</b>	3.4	13.4
Professional, scientific and technical services	21.5	<b>20.7</b>	1.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-1.5	-3.0	<b>-3.7</b>	-6.8	-12.7
Business, building and other support services	28.2	<b>28.2</b>	1.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.5	2.4	<b>0.0</b>	-1.7	9.3
Educational services	23.1	<b>25.6</b>	1.3	<b>2.5</b>	4.2	5.4	<b>10.8</b>	19.6	26.7
Health care and social assistance	37.1	<b>39.5</b>	1.5	<b>2.4</b>	2.9	0.6	<b>6.5</b>	7.9	1.5
Information, culture and recreation	68.9	<b>67.5</b>	1.7	<b>-1.4</b>	-0.2	-3.2	<b>-2.0</b>	-0.3	-4.5
Accommodation and food services	19.6	<b>19.8</b>	1.2	<b>0.2</b>	1.2	2.3	<b>1.0</b>	6.5	13.1
Other services	29.2	<b>29.1</b>	1.5	<b>-0.1</b>	-5.4	-1.4	<b>-0.3</b>	-15.7	-4.6
Public administration	18.7	<b>19.9</b>	1.2	<b>1.2</b>	-0.3	-1.6	<b>6.4</b>	-1.5	-7.4
	30.6	<b>29.5</b>	1.2	<b>-1.1</b>	1.0	1.5	<b>-3.6</b>	3.5	5.4

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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**Table 4-4**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — New Brunswick**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	619.9	<b>619.7</b>	...	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.3	-0.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.1
Labour force	392.8	<b>390.2</b>	2.2	<b>-2.6</b>	0.4	-1.6	<b>-0.7</b>	0.1	-0.4
Employment	351.7	<b>346.5</b>	2.3	<b>-5.2</b>	-1.2	-7.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-0.3	-2.2
Employment full-time	293.4	<b>291.0</b>	2.8	<b>-2.4</b>	-2.4	-7.3	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.8	-2.4
Unemployment	41.2	<b>43.7</b>	2.2	<b>2.5</b>	1.6	6.1	<b>6.1</b>	3.8	16.2
Participation rate	63.4	<b>63.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	0.1	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.5	<b>11.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.7</b>	0.4	1.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.7	<b>55.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.2	-1.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	16.6	<b>16.0</b>	0.6	<b>-0.6</b>	0.4	0.2	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	88.9	<b>88.6</b>	...	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.9	-1.7	<b>-0.3</b>	-1.0	-1.9
Labour force	56.2	<b>54.9</b>	1.3	<b>-1.3</b>	-0.3	-4.2	<b>-2.3</b>	-0.5	-7.1
Employment	45.4	<b>42.3</b>	1.2	<b>-3.1</b>	-2.9	-7.1	<b>-6.8</b>	-6.4	-14.4
Unemployment	10.8	<b>12.6</b>	1.2	<b>1.8</b>	2.6	2.8	<b>16.7</b>	26.0	28.6
Participation rate	63.2	<b>62.0</b>	1.5	<b>-1.2</b>	0.3	-3.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	19.2	<b>23.0</b>	1.9	<b>3.8</b>	4.9	6.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	51.1	<b>47.7</b>	1.4	<b>-3.4</b>	-2.8	-7.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	44.3	<b>44.2</b>	2.6	<b>-0.1</b>	7.7	3.1	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	254.6	<b>254.6</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.1
Labour force	172.3	<b>172.3</b>	1.3	<b>0.0</b>	0.7	0.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.4	0.3
Employment	152.7	<b>152.1</b>	1.4	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.4	-2.6	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.3	-1.7
Unemployment	19.6	<b>20.2</b>	1.4	<b>0.6</b>	1.1	3.2	<b>3.1</b>	5.8	18.8
Participation rate	67.7	<b>67.7</b>	0.5	<b>0.0</b>	0.2	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.4	<b>11.7</b>	0.8	<b>0.3</b>	0.6	1.8	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.0	<b>59.7</b>	0.6	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.2	-1.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	6.7	<b>5.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	276.4	<b>276.5</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	0.8	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.3
Labour force	164.3	<b>163.0</b>	1.2	<b>-1.3</b>	-0.1	2.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.1	1.3
Employment	153.5	<b>152.1</b>	1.2	<b>-1.4</b>	2.0	2.0	<b>-0.9</b>	1.3	1.3
Unemployment	10.8	<b>10.9</b>	1.1	<b>0.1</b>	-2.1	0.1	<b>0.9</b>	-16.2	0.9
Participation rate	59.4	<b>59.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.1	0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.6	<b>6.7</b>	0.7	<b>0.1</b>	-1.3	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	55.5	<b>55.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.5</b>	0.6	0.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.2	<b>18.3</b>	1.0	<b>0.1</b>	-0.2	1.1	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>	351.7	<b>346.5</b>	2.3	<b>-5.2</b>	-1.2	-7.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-0.3	-2.2
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	77.0	<b>76.0</b>	1.9	<b>-1.0</b>	3.1	1.3	<b>-1.3</b>	4.3	1.7
Agriculture	4.5	<b>4.4</b>	0.5	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.5	0.3	<b>-2.2</b>	-10.2	7.3
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	12.1	<b>11.7</b>	0.9	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.1	0.1	<b>-3.3</b>	-8.6	0.9
Utilities	4.0	<b>3.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	0.1	0.1	<b>-2.5</b>	2.6	2.6
Construction	27.1	<b>26.4</b>	1.3	<b>-0.7</b>	3.3	1.8	<b>-2.6</b>	14.3	7.3
Manufacturing	29.3	<b>29.5</b>	1.3	<b>0.2</b>	1.2	-1.2	<b>0.7</b>	4.2	-3.9
<b>Services-producing sector</b>	274.7	<b>270.5</b>	2.4	<b>-4.2</b>	-4.4	-9.0	<b>-1.5</b>	-1.6	-3.2
Trade	54.6	<b>53.3</b>	1.6	<b>-1.3</b>	-2.7	1.1	<b>-2.4</b>	-4.8	2.1
Transportation and warehousing	18.2	<b>18.9</b>	0.9	<b>0.7</b>	2.4	1.3	<b>3.8</b>	14.5	7.4
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	15.5	<b>16.3</b>	0.8	<b>0.8</b>	-0.7	-1.8	<b>5.2</b>	-4.1	-9.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	13.4	<b>13.5</b>	0.9	<b>0.1</b>	-1.1	-1.8	<b>0.7</b>	-7.5	-11.8
Business, building and other support services	15.8	<b>15.7</b>	1.0	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.8	0.0	<b>-0.6</b>	-10.3	0.0
Educational services	26.5	<b>26.1</b>	1.2	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.7	-2.0	<b>-1.5</b>	-2.6	-7.1
Health care and social assistance	55.1	<b>53.4</b>	1.3	<b>-1.7</b>	-1.5	-0.8	<b>-3.1</b>	-2.7	-1.5
Information, culture and recreation	13.9	<b>11.8</b>	0.9	<b>-2.1</b>	-1.2	-2.1	<b>-15.1</b>	-9.2	-15.1
Accommodation and food services	22.4	<b>22.5</b>	1.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	0.1	<b>0.4</b>	2.7	0.4
Other services	16.1	<b>15.9</b>	0.9	<b>-0.2</b>	1.0	-1.4	<b>-1.2</b>	6.7	-8.1
Public administration	23.2	<b>23.1</b>	1.0	<b>-0.1</b>	1.3	-1.5	<b>-0.4</b>	6.0	-6.1

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2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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**Table 4-5**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Quebec**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	6,684.6	<b>6,689.7</b>	...	<b>5.1</b>	25.4	55.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	0.8
Labour force	4,379.3	<b>4,379.3</b>	15.0	<b>0.0</b>	14.8	63.9	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	1.5
Employment	4,042.6	<b>4,034.2</b>	15.3	<b>-8.4</b>	-10.0	48.0	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	1.2
Employment full-time	3,266.2	<b>3,248.4</b>	20.0	<b>-17.8</b>	-39.8	19.6	<b>-0.5</b>	-1.2	0.6
Unemployment	336.7	<b>345.1</b>	13.5	<b>8.4</b>	24.8	15.9	<b>2.5</b>	7.7	4.8
Participation rate	65.5	<b>65.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.7	<b>7.9</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.6	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.5	<b>60.3</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.4	0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	19.2	<b>19.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	0.8	0.5	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	980.0	<b>979.8</b>	...	<b>-0.2</b>	-2.6	-3.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.3	-0.3
Labour force	670.0	<b>662.9</b>	8.7	<b>-7.1</b>	6.2	-3.6	<b>-1.1</b>	0.9	-0.5
Employment	590.8	<b>573.6</b>	8.3	<b>-17.2</b>	-1.4	7.0	<b>-2.9</b>	-0.2	1.2
Unemployment	79.2	<b>89.3</b>	7.8	<b>10.1</b>	7.5	-10.6	<b>12.8</b>	9.2	-10.6
Participation rate	68.4	<b>67.7</b>	0.9	<b>-0.7</b>	0.9	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.8	<b>13.5</b>	1.1	<b>1.7</b>	1.0	-1.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.3	<b>58.5</b>	0.8	<b>-1.8</b>	0.0	0.9	...	...	...
Part-time rate	50.0	<b>54.1</b>	1.6	<b>4.1</b>	3.9	2.2	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	2,807.3	<b>2,810.1</b>	...	<b>2.8</b>	14.6	30.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	1.1
Labour force	1,979.0	<b>1,977.0</b>	8.3	<b>-2.0</b>	-1.8	45.2	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.1	2.3
Employment	1,829.6	<b>1,832.2</b>	9.0	<b>2.6</b>	-6.1	26.9	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	1.5
Unemployment	149.4	<b>144.7</b>	8.1	<b>-4.7</b>	4.2	18.1	<b>-3.1</b>	3.0	14.3
Participation rate	70.5	<b>70.4</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.4	0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.5	<b>7.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.2	<b>65.2</b>	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	-0.6	0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	8.0	<b>8.0</b>	0.5	<b>0.0</b>	0.8	0.1	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	2,897.2	<b>2,899.8</b>	...	<b>2.6</b>	13.4	28.0	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	1.0
Labour force	1,730.3	<b>1,739.5</b>	8.3	<b>9.2</b>	10.4	22.4	<b>0.5</b>	0.6	1.3
Employment	1,622.2	<b>1,628.4</b>	8.5	<b>6.2</b>	-2.6	14.1	<b>0.4</b>	-0.2	0.9
Unemployment	108.2	<b>111.1</b>	7.1	<b>2.9</b>	13.1	8.3	<b>2.7</b>	13.4	8.1
Participation rate	59.7	<b>60.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	0.1	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.3	<b>6.4</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.0	<b>56.2</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-0.3	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	20.6	<b>20.2</b>	0.7	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.4	0.4	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>	4,042.6	<b>4,034.2</b>	15.3	<b>-8.4</b>	-10.0	48.0	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	1.2
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	867.9	<b>854.2</b>	13.6	<b>-13.7</b>	-18.7	-7.0	<b>-1.6</b>	-2.1	-0.8
Agriculture	54.4	<b>56.6</b>	3.2	<b>2.2</b>	0.2	0.2	<b>4.0</b>	0.4	0.4
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	33.4	<b>31.2</b>	2.5	<b>-2.2</b>	-2.9	-1.6	<b>-6.6</b>	-8.5	-4.9
Utilities	28.8	<b>30.7</b>	2.2	<b>1.9</b>	5.4	6.8	<b>6.6</b>	21.3	28.5
Construction	268.1	<b>259.3</b>	8.3	<b>-8.8</b>	9.0	12.1	<b>-3.3</b>	3.6	4.9
Manufacturing	483.1	<b>476.5</b>	10.7	<b>-6.6</b>	-30.3	-24.5	<b>-1.4</b>	-6.0	-4.9
<b>Services-producing sector</b>	3,174.7	<b>3,180.0</b>	17.8	<b>5.3</b>	8.7	55.0	<b>0.2</b>	0.3	1.8
Trade	627.8	<b>625.0</b>	12.7	<b>-2.8</b>	-4.8	-13.2	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.8	-2.1
Transportation and warehousing	174.2	<b>174.8</b>	7.0	<b>0.6</b>	10.3	-5.5	<b>0.3</b>	6.3	-3.1
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	228.7	<b>219.8</b>	7.5	<b>-8.9</b>	-11.3	4.9	<b>-3.9</b>	-4.9	2.3
Professional, scientific and technical services	286.6	<b>302.2</b>	9.0	<b>15.6</b>	5.6	6.0	<b>5.4</b>	1.9	2.0
Business, building and other support services	157.1	<b>159.8</b>	7.2	<b>2.7</b>	6.7	7.0	<b>1.7</b>	4.4	4.6
Educational services	283.1	<b>297.2</b>	9.5	<b>14.1</b>	-6.0	6.3	<b>5.0</b>	-2.0	2.2
Health care and social assistance	555.0	<b>567.1</b>	10.0	<b>12.1</b>	-4.1	38.0	<b>2.2</b>	-0.7	7.2
Information, culture and recreation	199.4	<b>191.6</b>	7.4	<b>-7.8</b>	4.9	9.9	<b>-3.9</b>	2.6	5.4
Accommodation and food services	261.8	<b>238.4</b>	8.5	<b>-23.4</b>	9.6	10.6	<b>-8.9</b>	4.2	4.7
Other services	174.5	<b>175.6</b>	6.8	<b>1.1</b>	-3.9	4.3	<b>0.6</b>	-2.2	2.5
Public administration	226.4	<b>228.5</b>	6.3	<b>2.1</b>	1.8	-13.3	<b>0.9</b>	0.8	-5.5

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 4-6**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Ontario**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	11,184.5	<b>11,197.2</b>	...	<b>12.7</b>	69.1	130.9	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.2
Labour force	7,437.5	<b>7,441.8</b>	20.0	<b>4.3</b>	-0.2	97.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.0	1.3
Employment	6,895.3	<b>6,887.1</b>	19.3	<b>-8.2</b>	32.9	109.8	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.6
Employment full-time	5,613.5	<b>5,574.8</b>	25.6	<b>-38.7</b>	27.6	65.3	<b>-0.7</b>	0.5	1.2
Unemployment	542.2	<b>554.7</b>	17.6	<b>12.5</b>	-33.0	-12.3	<b>2.3</b>	-5.6	-2.2
Participation rate	66.5	<b>66.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	-0.4	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.3	<b>7.5</b>	0.2	<b>0.2</b>	-0.4	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.7	<b>61.5</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	18.6	<b>19.1</b>	0.3	<b>0.5</b>	0.0	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	1,786.3	<b>1,786.2</b>	...	<b>-0.1</b>	-2.4	-2.9	<b>0.0</b>	-0.1	-0.2
Labour force	1,093.0	<b>1,110.2</b>	12.2	<b>17.2</b>	13.0	32.9	<b>1.6</b>	1.2	3.1
Employment	918.2	<b>930.1</b>	10.7	<b>11.9</b>	20.3	37.9	<b>1.3</b>	2.2	4.2
Unemployment	174.8	<b>180.1</b>	10.8	<b>5.3</b>	-7.2	-4.9	<b>3.0</b>	-3.8	-2.6
Participation rate	61.2	<b>62.2</b>	0.7	<b>1.0</b>	0.9	2.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	16.0	<b>16.2</b>	0.9	<b>0.2</b>	-0.9	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	51.4	<b>52.1</b>	0.6	<b>0.7</b>	1.2	2.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	49.1	<b>51.4</b>	1.3	<b>2.3</b>	-2.9	2.0	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	4,558.6	<b>4,564.7</b>	...	<b>6.1</b>	34.1	64.6	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.4
Labour force	3,315.8	<b>3,305.7</b>	10.1	<b>-10.1</b>	-12.0	14.8	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.4	0.4
Employment	3,117.2	<b>3,105.2</b>	10.8	<b>-12.0</b>	-1.8	27.8	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.1	0.9
Unemployment	198.7	<b>200.4</b>	10.0	<b>1.7</b>	-10.3	-13.1	<b>0.9</b>	-4.9	-6.1
Participation rate	72.7	<b>72.4</b>	0.2	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.8	-0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	<b>6.1</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	68.4	<b>68.0</b>	0.2	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	7.7	<b>8.0</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.1	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	4,839.6	<b>4,846.3</b>	...	<b>6.7</b>	37.4	69.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.4
Labour force	3,028.7	<b>3,025.9</b>	11.3	<b>-2.8</b>	-1.2	49.8	<b>-0.1</b>	0.0	1.7
Employment	2,859.9	<b>2,851.8</b>	11.1	<b>-8.1</b>	14.4	44.2	<b>-0.3</b>	0.5	1.6
Unemployment	168.7	<b>174.1</b>	9.3	<b>5.4</b>	-15.6	5.6	<b>3.2</b>	-8.2	3.3
Participation rate	62.6	<b>62.4</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.6	<b>5.8</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-0.5	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.1	<b>58.8</b>	0.2	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.2	0.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	20.7	<b>20.6</b>	0.5	<b>-0.1</b>	0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>	6,895.3	<b>6,887.1</b>	19.3	<b>-8.2</b>	32.9	109.8	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	1.6
Agriculture	1,429.7	<b>1,440.1</b>	18.2	<b>10.4</b>	33.9	1.2	<b>0.7</b>	2.4	0.1
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	89.5	<b>87.2</b>	4.5	<b>-2.3</b>	2.1	-5.9	<b>-2.6</b>	2.5	-6.3
Utilities	38.2	<b>38.7</b>	2.5	<b>0.5</b>	4.5	0.6	<b>1.3</b>	13.2	1.6
Construction	52.4	<b>52.4</b>	3.2	<b>0.0</b>	-3.0	-6.3	<b>0.0</b>	-5.4	-10.7
Manufacturing	468.0	<b>477.9</b>	11.2	<b>9.9</b>	48.5	42.1	<b>2.1</b>	11.3	9.7
Services-producing sector	781.5	<b>783.8</b>	14.5	<b>2.3</b>	-18.3	-29.4	<b>0.3</b>	-2.3	-3.6
Trade	5,465.6	<b>5,447.0</b>	23.6	<b>-18.6</b>	-1.1	108.7	<b>-0.3</b>	0.0	2.0
Transportation and warehousing	1,025.6	<b>1,008.4</b>	16.0	<b>-17.2</b>	-26.5	29.5	<b>-1.7</b>	-2.6	3.0
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	339.9	<b>343.7</b>	9.7	<b>3.8</b>	14.5	36.6	<b>1.1</b>	4.4	11.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	515.1	<b>525.9</b>	12.1	<b>10.8</b>	1.1	15.9	<b>2.1</b>	0.2	3.1
Business, building and other support services	566.3	<b>575.7</b>	13.6	<b>9.4</b>	28.9	6.7	<b>1.7</b>	5.3	1.2
Educational services	311.2	<b>303.8</b>	10.3	<b>-7.4</b>	10.1	-1.6	<b>-2.4</b>	3.4	-0.5
Health care and social assistance	525.1	<b>528.2</b>	11.9	<b>3.1</b>	4.6	19.6	<b>0.6</b>	0.9	3.9
Information, culture and recreation	786.2	<b>779.7</b>	13.3	<b>-6.5</b>	10.2	32.2	<b>-0.8</b>	1.3	4.3
Accommodation and food services	305.7	<b>305.6</b>	10.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-21.1	-6.9	<b>0.0</b>	-6.5	-2.2
Other services	439.5	<b>425.8</b>	11.4	<b>-13.7</b>	-2.6	3.8	<b>-3.1</b>	-0.6	0.9
Public administration	274.8	<b>270.5</b>	9.5	<b>-4.3</b>	-15.9	-27.0	<b>-1.6</b>	-5.6	-9.1
Public administration	376.2	<b>379.6</b>	9.1	<b>3.4</b>	-4.5	-0.2	<b>0.9</b>	-1.2	-0.1

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**Table 4-7**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Manitoba**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	971.9	<b>973.0</b>	...	<b>1.1</b>	5.7	10.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.1
Labour force	668.4	<b>671.8</b>	2.6	<b>3.4</b>	-1.7	8.6	<b>0.5</b>	-0.3	1.3
Employment	630.7	<b>638.0</b>	2.7	<b>7.3</b>	-0.4	9.3	<b>1.2</b>	-0.1	1.5
Employment full-time	508.9	<b>513.7</b>	3.6	<b>4.8</b>	-2.2	5.5	<b>0.9</b>	-0.4	1.1
Unemployment	37.8	<b>33.8</b>	2.2	<b>-4.0</b>	-1.4	-0.7	<b>-10.6</b>	-4.0	-2.0
Participation rate	68.8	<b>69.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-0.6	0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	<b>5.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.7</b>	-0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.9	<b>65.6</b>	0.3	<b>0.7</b>	-0.4	0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	19.3	<b>19.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	0.3	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	164.8	<b>164.8</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	-0.1
Labour force	113.2	<b>114.7</b>	1.6	<b>1.5</b>	-0.7	0.5	<b>1.3</b>	-0.6	0.4
Employment	101.0	<b>103.2</b>	1.5	<b>2.2</b>	-0.5	1.7	<b>2.2</b>	-0.5	1.7
Unemployment	12.1	<b>11.6</b>	1.4	<b>-0.5</b>	0.0	-1.1	<b>-4.1</b>	0.0	-8.7
Participation rate	68.7	<b>69.6</b>	0.9	<b>0.9</b>	-0.4	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.7	<b>10.1</b>	1.2	<b>-0.6</b>	0.0	-1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.3	<b>62.6</b>	0.9	<b>1.3</b>	-0.3	1.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	43.8	<b>42.9</b>	1.8	<b>-0.8</b>	2.1	1.3	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	395.6	<b>396.1</b>	...	<b>0.5</b>	2.8	5.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	298.1	<b>299.1</b>	1.3	<b>1.0</b>	-2.5	1.9	<b>0.3</b>	-0.8	0.6
Employment	284.0	<b>287.7</b>	1.4	<b>3.7</b>	-1.7	2.4	<b>1.3</b>	-0.6	0.8
Unemployment	14.1	<b>11.5</b>	1.2	<b>-2.6</b>	-0.6	-0.4	<b>-18.4</b>	-5.0	-3.4
Participation rate	75.4	<b>75.5</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-1.2	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.7	<b>3.8</b>	0.4	<b>-0.9</b>	-0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	71.8	<b>72.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.8</b>	-1.0	-0.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	6.8	<b>7.3</b>	0.6	<b>0.5</b>	-0.8	0.0	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	411.6	<b>412.1</b>	...	<b>0.5</b>	2.9	5.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	257.1	<b>257.9</b>	1.5	<b>0.8</b>	1.3	6.1	<b>0.3</b>	0.5	2.4
Employment	245.6	<b>247.2</b>	1.6	<b>1.6</b>	2.0	5.3	<b>0.7</b>	0.8	2.2
Unemployment	11.5	<b>10.7</b>	1.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.7	0.7	<b>-7.0</b>	-6.1	7.0
Participation rate	62.5	<b>62.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	-0.1	0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.5	<b>4.1</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.3	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.7	<b>60.0</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	0.1	0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	23.7	<b>23.9</b>	0.9	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	0.2	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
Population	630.7	<b>638.0</b>	2.7	<b>7.3</b>	-0.3	9.3	<b>1.2</b>	0.0	1.5
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>									
Agriculture	147.4	<b>149.7</b>	2.4	<b>2.3</b>	0.4	7.3	<b>1.6</b>	0.3	5.1
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	26.9	<b>25.8</b>	1.2	<b>-1.1</b>	2.2	5.0	<b>-4.1</b>	9.3	24.0
Utilities	6.6	<b>7.3</b>	0.5	<b>0.7</b>	-0.2	0.6	<b>10.6</b>	-2.7	9.0
Construction	7.6	<b>7.7</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	-0.3	0.0	<b>1.3</b>	-3.8	0.0
Manufacturing	46.4	<b>44.1</b>	1.5	<b>-2.3</b>	-4.6	3.2	<b>-5.0</b>	-9.4	7.8
Professional, scientific and technical services	59.9	<b>64.8</b>	1.7	<b>4.9</b>	3.4	-1.5	<b>8.2</b>	5.5	-2.3
<b>Services-producing sector</b>									
Trade	483.2	<b>488.3</b>	3.2	<b>5.1</b>	-0.8	2.0	<b>1.1</b>	-0.2	0.4
Transportation and warehousing	90.4	<b>92.0</b>	2.1	<b>1.6</b>	-0.6	-2.1	<b>1.8</b>	-0.6	-2.2
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	37.7	<b>36.3</b>	1.3	<b>-1.4</b>	-0.1	0.1	<b>-3.7</b>	-0.3	0.3
Professional, scientific and technical services	34.3	<b>32.5</b>	1.2	<b>-1.8</b>	-2.6	-1.4	<b>-5.2</b>	-7.4	-4.1
Business, building and other support services	27.5	<b>28.9</b>	1.2	<b>1.4</b>	-0.5	0.1	<b>5.1</b>	-1.7	0.3
Educational services	17.6	<b>18.1</b>	1.2	<b>0.5</b>	-2.4	0.0	<b>2.8</b>	-11.7	0.0
Health care and social assistance	48.4	<b>48.8</b>	1.6	<b>0.4</b>	-1.3	-0.7	<b>0.8</b>	-2.6	-1.4
Information, culture and recreation	92.3	<b>96.2</b>	1.8	<b>3.9</b>	2.0	1.1	<b>4.2</b>	2.1	1.2
Accommodation and food services	26.4	<b>27.3</b>	1.2	<b>0.9</b>	1.7	3.3	<b>3.4</b>	6.6	13.8
Other services	42.0	<b>40.9</b>	1.5	<b>-1.1</b>	-0.1	1.1	<b>-2.6</b>	-0.2	2.8
Public administration	28.9	<b>30.3</b>	1.2	<b>1.4</b>	1.9	1.7	<b>4.8</b>	6.7	5.9
Public administration	37.6	<b>36.9</b>	1.3	<b>-0.7</b>	1.0	-1.4	<b>-1.9</b>	2.8	-3.7

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0087, 282-0088. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.



**Table 4-8**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Saskatchewan**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	823.2	<b>825.0</b>	...	<b>1.8</b>	7.4	14.8	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.8
Labour force	577.9	<b>577.9</b>	2.5	<b>0.0</b>	7.3	13.4	<b>0.0</b>	1.3	2.4
Employment	552.0	<b>556.3</b>	2.6	<b>4.3</b>	12.0	19.1	<b>0.8</b>	2.2	3.6
Employment full-time	457.8	<b>460.7</b>	3.3	<b>2.9</b>	13.6	17.4	<b>0.6</b>	3.0	3.9
Unemployment	25.9	<b>21.6</b>	1.9	<b>-4.3</b>	-4.7	-5.8	<b>-16.6</b>	-17.9	-21.2
Participation rate	70.2	<b>70.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.5	<b>3.7</b>	0.3	<b>-0.8</b>	-0.9	-1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	67.1	<b>67.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	0.8	1.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	17.1	<b>17.2</b>	0.6	<b>0.1</b>	-0.7	-0.3	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	136.6	<b>136.7</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.0	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.0	0.1
Labour force	96.7	<b>95.4</b>	1.4	<b>-1.3</b>	1.2	0.9	<b>-1.3</b>	1.3	1.0
Employment	86.5	<b>88.2</b>	1.5	<b>1.7</b>	3.3	2.4	<b>2.0</b>	3.9	2.8
Unemployment	10.2	<b>7.2</b>	1.2	<b>-3.0</b>	-2.1	-1.5	<b>-29.4</b>	-22.6	-17.2
Participation rate	70.8	<b>69.8</b>	1.0	<b>-1.0</b>	0.9	0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.5	<b>7.5</b>	1.2	<b>-3.0</b>	-2.4	-1.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.3	<b>64.5</b>	1.1	<b>1.2</b>	2.4	1.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	34.8	<b>35.6</b>	1.8	<b>0.8</b>	-0.8	0.1	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	339.1	<b>340.0</b>	...	<b>0.9</b>	4.0	8.0	<b>0.3</b>	1.2	2.4
Labour force	260.7	<b>260.2</b>	1.2	<b>-0.5</b>	2.8	4.9	<b>-0.2</b>	1.1	1.9
Employment	252.6	<b>252.7</b>	1.3	<b>0.1</b>	3.8	7.5	<b>0.0</b>	1.5	3.1
Unemployment	8.1	<b>7.5</b>	1.0	<b>-0.6</b>	-1.0	-2.6	<b>-7.4</b>	-11.8	-25.7
Participation rate	76.9	<b>76.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.1	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	3.1	<b>2.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.4	-1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	74.5	<b>74.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	0.4	...	...	...
Part-time rate	6.9	<b>6.8</b>	0.6	<b>-0.1</b>	0.3	0.5	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	347.5	<b>348.3</b>	...	<b>0.8</b>	3.4	6.6	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	1.9
Labour force	220.5	<b>222.4</b>	1.6	<b>1.9</b>	3.5	7.6	<b>0.9</b>	1.6	3.5
Employment	212.9	<b>215.5</b>	1.5	<b>2.6</b>	5.0	9.3	<b>1.2</b>	2.4	4.5
Unemployment	7.6	<b>6.9</b>	1.0	<b>-0.7</b>	-1.6	-1.6	<b>-9.2</b>	-18.8	-18.8
Participation rate	63.5	<b>63.9</b>	0.5	<b>0.4</b>	0.4	1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	3.4	<b>3.1</b>	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.8	-0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.3	<b>61.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.6</b>	0.9	1.6	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.9	<b>21.8</b>	1.0	<b>-0.1</b>	-2.1	-1.5	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
Industry	552.0	<b>556.3</b>	2.6	<b>4.3</b>	12.0	19.1	<b>0.8</b>	2.2	3.6
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>									
Goods-producing sector	147.1	<b>147.9</b>	2.4	<b>0.8</b>	-2.2	7.2	<b>0.5</b>	-1.5	5.1
Agriculture	42.7	<b>43.8</b>	1.6	<b>1.1</b>	1.9	5.9	<b>2.6</b>	4.5	15.6
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	24.1	<b>23.1</b>	1.2	<b>-1.0</b>	-2.9	-3.0	<b>-4.1</b>	-11.2	-11.5
Utilities	5.6	<b>5.4</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.6	-1.1	<b>-3.6</b>	12.5	-16.9
Construction	47.7	<b>46.3</b>	1.6	<b>-1.4</b>	-1.0	3.7	<b>-2.9</b>	-2.1	8.7
Manufacturing	26.9	<b>29.4</b>	1.1	<b>2.5</b>	-0.7	1.7	<b>9.3</b>	-2.3	6.1
<b>Services-producing sector</b>									
Services-producing sector	404.9	<b>408.4</b>	3.0	<b>3.5</b>	14.2	12.0	<b>0.9</b>	3.6	3.0
Trade	84.5	<b>85.2</b>	1.9	<b>0.7</b>	3.3	5.3	<b>0.8</b>	4.0	6.6
Transportation and warehousing	26.2	<b>26.6</b>	1.1	<b>0.4</b>	1.1	0.4	<b>1.5</b>	4.3	1.5
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	28.0	<b>29.0</b>	1.0	<b>1.0</b>	0.8	-0.8	<b>3.6</b>	2.8	-2.7
Professional, scientific and technical services	28.4	<b>27.4</b>	1.2	<b>-1.0</b>	2.5	4.0	<b>-3.5</b>	10.0	17.1
Business, building and other support services	12.0	<b>12.2</b>	0.9	<b>0.2</b>	-0.7	-0.9	<b>1.7</b>	-5.4	-6.9
Educational services	45.3	<b>44.1</b>	1.4	<b>-1.2</b>	0.5	0.1	<b>-2.6</b>	1.1	0.2
Health care and social assistance	73.5	<b>72.5</b>	1.7	<b>-1.0</b>	0.3	1.7	<b>-1.4</b>	0.4	2.4
Information, culture and recreation	17.2	<b>22.2</b>	1.1	<b>5.0</b>	2.9	1.5	<b>29.1</b>	15.0	7.2
Accommodation and food services	32.0	<b>33.1</b>	1.5	<b>1.1</b>	4.8	1.9	<b>3.4</b>	17.0	6.1
Other services	26.8	<b>25.5</b>	1.2	<b>-1.3</b>	1.0	-1.2	<b>-4.9</b>	4.1	-4.5
Public administration	30.9	<b>30.4</b>	1.1	<b>-0.5</b>	-2.5	-0.3	<b>-1.6</b>	-7.6	-1.0

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2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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**Table 4-9**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — Alberta**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	3,156.1	<b>3,168.0</b>	...	<b>11.9</b>	56.5	102.0	<b>0.4</b>	1.8	3.3
Labour force	2,313.5	<b>2,317.0</b>	8.7	<b>3.5</b>	49.4	69.1	<b>0.2</b>	2.2	3.1
Employment	2,201.3	<b>2,200.6</b>	8.9	<b>-0.7</b>	35.3	55.1	<b>0.0</b>	1.6	2.6
Employment full-time	1,855.0	<b>1,857.3</b>	11.8	<b>2.3</b>	30.6	69.5	<b>0.1</b>	1.7	3.9
Unemployment	112.2	<b>116.5</b>	6.8	<b>4.3</b>	14.2	14.1	<b>3.8</b>	13.9	13.8
Participation rate	73.3	<b>73.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.2	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.8	<b>5.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.5	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.7	<b>69.5</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
Part-time rate	15.7	<b>15.6</b>	0.5	<b>-0.1</b>	0.0	-1.1	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	511.3	<b>512.4</b>	...	<b>1.1</b>	3.0	6.2	<b>0.2</b>	0.6	1.2
Labour force	353.4	<b>352.1</b>	5.1	<b>-1.3</b>	19.9	1.5	<b>-0.4</b>	6.0	0.4
Employment	319.0	<b>318.9</b>	5.2	<b>-0.1</b>	16.1	2.5	<b>0.0</b>	5.3	0.8
Unemployment	34.4	<b>33.2</b>	4.1	<b>-1.2</b>	3.8	-1.0	<b>-3.5</b>	12.9	-2.9
Participation rate	69.1	<b>68.7</b>	1.0	<b>-0.4</b>	3.5	-0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.7	<b>9.4</b>	1.1	<b>-0.3</b>	0.5	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.4	<b>62.2</b>	1.0	<b>-0.2</b>	2.8	-0.3	...	...	...
Part-time rate	32.4	<b>34.8</b>	1.7	<b>2.4</b>	2.4	-2.2	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	1,343.0	<b>1,348.6</b>	...	<b>5.6</b>	27.8	49.2	<b>0.4</b>	2.1	3.8
Labour force	1,094.7	<b>1,094.3</b>	4.3	<b>-0.4</b>	20.0	34.4	<b>0.0</b>	1.9	3.2
Employment	1,046.6	<b>1,044.8</b>	4.7	<b>-1.8</b>	7.9	24.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.8	2.4
Unemployment	48.1	<b>49.5</b>	3.9	<b>1.4</b>	12.1	10.1	<b>2.9</b>	32.4	25.6
Participation rate	81.5	<b>81.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.2	-0.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.4	<b>4.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	1.0	0.8	...	...	...
Employment rate	77.9	<b>77.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.0	-1.0	...	...	...
Part-time rate	5.8	<b>5.4</b>	0.5	<b>-0.4</b>	0.0	-0.4	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	1,301.8	<b>1,307.0</b>	...	<b>5.2</b>	25.8	46.6	<b>0.4</b>	2.0	3.7
Labour force	865.5	<b>870.6</b>	5.2	<b>5.1</b>	9.5	33.2	<b>0.6</b>	1.1	4.0
Employment	835.8	<b>836.8</b>	5.2	<b>1.0</b>	11.3	28.1	<b>0.1</b>	1.4	3.5
Unemployment	29.7	<b>33.8</b>	3.8	<b>4.1</b>	-1.7	5.1	<b>13.8</b>	-4.8	17.8
Participation rate	66.5	<b>66.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	-0.6	0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	3.4	<b>3.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.5</b>	-0.2	0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.2	<b>64.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.4	-0.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	21.8	<b>21.0</b>	0.9	<b>-0.8</b>	-1.4	-1.5	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
Goods-producing sector	2,201.3	<b>2,200.6</b>	8.9	<b>-0.7</b>	35.3	55.1	<b>0.0</b>	1.6	2.6
Agriculture	618.8	<b>621.1</b>	9.2	<b>2.3</b>	-0.8	-0.1	<b>0.4</b>	-0.1	0.0
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	65.9	<b>68.7</b>	3.1	<b>2.8</b>	7.1	13.4	<b>4.2</b>	11.5	24.2
Utilities	167.8	<b>166.5</b>	5.2	<b>-1.3</b>	1.5	-18.1	<b>-0.8</b>	0.9	-9.8
Construction	14.9	<b>15.8</b>	1.9	<b>0.9</b>	-7.0	-5.4	<b>6.0</b>	-30.7	-25.5
Manufacturing	235.5	<b>237.9</b>	6.6	<b>2.4</b>	15.4	11.2	<b>1.0</b>	6.9	4.9
Services-producing sector	134.7	<b>132.2</b>	5.2	<b>-2.5</b>	-17.8	-1.2	<b>-1.9</b>	-11.9	-0.9
Trade	1,582.6	<b>1,579.5</b>	10.9	<b>-3.1</b>	36.1	55.2	<b>-0.2</b>	2.3	3.6
Transportation and warehousing	329.5	<b>332.4</b>	7.7	<b>2.9</b>	7.1	12.6	<b>0.9</b>	2.2	3.9
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	115.0	<b>111.7</b>	4.9	<b>-3.3</b>	-14.3	-5.9	<b>-2.9</b>	-11.3	-5.0
Professional, scientific and technical services	108.0	<b>105.4</b>	4.1	<b>-2.6</b>	-3.0	0.6	<b>-2.4</b>	-2.8	0.6
Business, building and other support services	183.7	<b>181.6</b>	5.4	<b>-2.1</b>	23.0	27.1	<b>-1.1</b>	14.5	17.5
Educational services	76.0	<b>75.7</b>	3.9	<b>-0.3</b>	3.5	8.8	<b>-0.4</b>	4.8	13.2
Health care and social assistance	133.3	<b>130.7</b>	4.7	<b>-2.6</b>	5.1	-1.0	<b>-2.0</b>	4.1	-0.8
Information, culture and recreation	234.0	<b>227.4</b>	5.9	<b>-6.6</b>	-3.4	-1.7	<b>-2.8</b>	-1.5	-0.7
Accommodation and food services	75.7	<b>79.5</b>	4.1	<b>3.8</b>	7.5	9.2	<b>5.0</b>	10.4	13.1
Other services	129.9	<b>131.9</b>	5.6	<b>2.0</b>	-0.2	-0.2	<b>1.5</b>	-0.2	-0.2
Public administration	108.5	<b>111.3</b>	4.7	<b>2.8</b>	9.5	6.0	<b>2.6</b>	9.3	5.7
	88.9	<b>92.0</b>	3.8	<b>3.1</b>	1.3	-0.1	<b>3.5</b>	1.4	-0.1

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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**Table 4-10**  
**Selected labour force characteristics (seasonally adjusted) — British Columbia**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Both sexes, 15 years and over</b>									
Population	3,848.1	<b>3,852.3</b>	...	<b>4.2</b>	22.0	38.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.0
Labour force	2,480.3	<b>2,477.3</b>	10.7	<b>-3.0</b>	5.7	-8.0	<b>-0.1</b>	0.2	-0.3
Employment	2,311.8	<b>2,320.7</b>	10.3	<b>8.9</b>	7.2	-1.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.3	-0.1
Employment full-time	1,803.2	<b>1,824.8</b>	14.5	<b>21.6</b>	7.7	9.9	<b>1.2</b>	0.4	0.5
Unemployment	168.4	<b>156.6</b>	8.6	<b>-11.8</b>	-1.5	-6.8	<b>-7.0</b>	-0.9	-4.2
Participation rate	64.5	<b>64.3</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.2	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	<b>6.3</b>	0.3	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.1	-0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.1	<b>60.2</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.2	-0.7	...	...	...
Part-time rate	22.0	<b>21.4</b>	0.6	<b>-0.6</b>	-0.1	-0.5	...	...	...
<b>Both sexes, 15 to 24 years</b>									
Population	587.1	<b>587.0</b>	...	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.5	-2.8	<b>0.0</b>	-0.3	-0.5
Labour force	367.8	<b>368.1</b>	6.0	<b>0.3</b>	9.3	3.4	<b>0.1</b>	2.6	0.9
Employment	320.1	<b>326.7</b>	5.6	<b>6.6</b>	17.2	8.9	<b>2.1</b>	5.6	2.8
Unemployment	47.7	<b>41.4</b>	5.0	<b>-6.3</b>	-7.9	-5.5	<b>-13.2</b>	-16.0	-11.7
Participation rate	62.6	<b>62.7</b>	1.0	<b>0.1</b>	1.7	0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	13.0	<b>11.2</b>	1.3	<b>-1.8</b>	-2.5	-1.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	54.5	<b>55.7</b>	0.9	<b>1.2</b>	3.1	1.8	...	...	...
Part-time rate	49.3	<b>47.3</b>	2.1	<b>-2.0</b>	1.9	-0.4	...	...	...
<b>Men, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	1,591.2	<b>1,593.4</b>	...	<b>2.2</b>	11.7	20.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	1,104.2	<b>1,100.6</b>	5.5	<b>-3.6</b>	3.0	-4.5	<b>-0.3</b>	0.3	-0.4
Employment	1,041.3	<b>1,040.4</b>	5.7	<b>-0.9</b>	-5.1	-3.4	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.5	-0.3
Unemployment	62.9	<b>60.2</b>	4.9	<b>-2.7</b>	8.0	-1.2	<b>-4.3</b>	15.3	-2.0
Participation rate	69.4	<b>69.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.3	-1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	<b>5.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.7	-0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.4	<b>65.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.8	-1.1	...	...	...
Part-time rate	9.5	<b>9.4</b>	0.6	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.4	0.4	...	...	...
<b>Women, 25 years and over</b>									
Population	1,669.8	<b>1,671.9</b>	...	<b>2.1</b>	11.8	20.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	1,008.3	<b>1,008.6</b>	6.2	<b>0.3</b>	-6.5	-6.9	<b>0.0</b>	-0.6	-0.7
Employment	950.5	<b>953.6</b>	6.1	<b>3.1</b>	-4.9	-6.7	<b>0.3</b>	-0.5	-0.7
Unemployment	57.8	<b>55.0</b>	4.8	<b>-2.8</b>	-1.6	-0.2	<b>-4.8</b>	-2.8	-0.4
Participation rate	60.4	<b>60.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.8	-1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.7	<b>5.5</b>	0.5	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.1	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.9	<b>57.0</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	-0.7	-1.2	...	...	...
Part-time rate	26.5	<b>25.6</b>	1.0	<b>-0.9</b>	-0.9	-1.7	...	...	...
<b>Industry</b>									
Industry	2,311.8	<b>2,320.7</b>	10.3	<b>8.9</b>	7.2	-1.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.3	-0.1
<b>Goods-producing sector</b>									
Goods-producing sector	439.9	<b>447.1</b>	9.1	<b>7.2</b>	-17.0	-18.9	<b>1.6</b>	-3.7	-4.1
Agriculture	24.3	<b>29.6</b>	2.5	<b>5.3</b>	1.8	4.3	<b>21.8</b>	6.5	17.0
Forestry, fishing, mining, quarrying, oil and gas extraction <sup>2</sup>	50.4	<b>51.8</b>	3.0	<b>1.4</b>	3.1	6.9	<b>2.8</b>	6.4	15.4
Utilities	12.7	<b>11.9</b>	1.8	<b>-0.8</b>	-4.4	-0.4	<b>-6.3</b>	-27.0	-3.3
Construction	190.0	<b>189.5</b>	6.5	<b>-0.5</b>	-16.8	0.3	<b>-0.3</b>	-8.1	0.2
Manufacturing	162.6	<b>164.2</b>	6.0	<b>1.6</b>	-0.7	-30.1	<b>1.0</b>	-0.4	-15.5
<b>Services-producing sector</b>									
Services-producing sector	1,871.9	<b>1,873.7</b>	12.0	<b>1.8</b>	24.3	17.8	<b>0.1</b>	1.3	1.0
Trade	376.7	<b>388.9</b>	8.1	<b>12.2</b>	26.8	34.1	<b>3.2</b>	7.4	9.6
Transportation and warehousing	114.8	<b>116.8</b>	5.2	<b>2.0</b>	-2.3	-12.3	<b>1.7</b>	-1.9	-9.5
Finance, insurance, real estate and leasing	157.1	<b>158.9</b>	5.4	<b>1.8</b>	23.3	13.0	<b>1.1</b>	17.2	8.9
Professional, scientific and technical services	182.1	<b>188.1</b>	5.9	<b>6.0</b>	13.7	21.0	<b>3.3</b>	7.9	12.6
Business, building and other support services	89.8	<b>92.1</b>	4.9	<b>2.3</b>	-2.6	-5.7	<b>2.6</b>	-2.7	-5.8
Educational services	178.8	<b>173.3</b>	5.9	<b>-5.5</b>	-13.1	-12.0	<b>-3.1</b>	-7.0	-6.5
Health care and social assistance	259.5	<b>266.1</b>	6.8	<b>6.6</b>	0.9	-19.9	<b>2.5</b>	0.3	-7.0
Information, culture and recreation	116.9	<b>101.1</b>	5.1	<b>-15.8</b>	-20.5	-9.5	<b>-13.5</b>	-16.9	-8.6
Accommodation and food services	169.6	<b>168.2</b>	6.2	<b>-1.4</b>	-7.9	2.1	<b>-0.8</b>	-4.5	1.3
Other services	102.9	<b>104.4</b>	4.9	<b>1.5</b>	-1.0	-10.7	<b>1.5</b>	-0.9	-9.3
Public administration	123.6	<b>115.7</b>	3.9	<b>-7.9</b>	6.9	17.5	<b>-6.4</b>	6.3	17.8

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Also referred to as Natural resources.

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**Table 5-1**  
**Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>St. John's, Newfoundland and Labrador</b>									
Population	165.6	<b>165.9</b>	...	<b>0.3</b>	2.1	3.5	<b>0.2</b>	1.3	2.2
Labour force	114.4	<b>114.8</b>	0.8	<b>0.4</b>	-4.1	-2.7	<b>0.3</b>	-3.4	-2.3
Employment	107.3	<b>107.8</b>	0.8	<b>0.5</b>	-2.7	-1.0	<b>0.5</b>	-2.4	-0.9
Unemployment	7.1	<b>7.0</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.3	-1.6	<b>-1.4</b>	-15.7	-18.6
Participation rate	69.1	<b>69.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	-3.4	-3.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.2	<b>6.1</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.9	-1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.8	<b>65.0</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	-2.5	-2.0	...	...	...
<b>Halifax, Nova Scotia</b>									
Population	346.6	<b>347.0</b>	...	<b>0.4</b>	2.1	4.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.2
Labour force	240.8	<b>242.7</b>	1.1	<b>1.9</b>	2.8	3.9	<b>0.8</b>	1.2	1.6
Employment	225.1	<b>226.6</b>	1.2	<b>1.5</b>	1.9	3.9	<b>0.7</b>	0.8	1.8
Unemployment	15.7	<b>16.0</b>	0.6	<b>0.3</b>	0.8	-0.2	<b>1.9</b>	5.3	-1.2
Participation rate	69.5	<b>69.9</b>	0.3	<b>0.4</b>	0.3	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.5	<b>6.6</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	-0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.9	<b>65.3</b>	0.3	<b>0.4</b>	0.2	0.4	...	...	...
<b>Moncton, New Brunswick</b>									
Population	118.4	<b>118.5</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.9	1.7	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.5
Labour force	78.8	<b>78.5</b>	0.7	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.9	-2.5	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.1	-3.1
Employment	73.4	<b>72.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.5</b>	-1.3	-2.4	<b>-0.7</b>	-1.8	-3.2
Unemployment	5.4	<b>5.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.4	-0.1	<b>3.7</b>	7.7	-1.8
Participation rate	66.6	<b>66.2</b>	0.6	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.3	-3.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	<b>7.1</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	0.6	0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.0	<b>61.5</b>	0.6	<b>-0.5</b>	-1.6	-3.0	...	...	...
<b>Saint John, New Brunswick</b>									
Population	106.7	<b>106.7</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.1	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	0.1
Labour force	69.7	<b>69.8</b>	0.7	<b>0.1</b>	1.4	-1.8	<b>0.1</b>	2.0	-2.5
Employment	62.6	<b>62.0</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	0.4	-3.9	<b>-1.0</b>	0.6	-5.9
Unemployment	7.1	<b>7.8</b>	0.4	<b>0.7</b>	1.0	2.2	<b>9.9</b>	14.7	39.3
Participation rate	65.3	<b>65.4</b>	0.7	<b>0.1</b>	1.3	-1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	10.2	<b>11.2</b>	0.6	<b>1.0</b>	1.3	3.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.7	<b>58.1</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	0.4	-3.7	...	...	...
<b>Saguenay, Quebec</b>									
Population	126.6	<b>126.5</b>	...	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.2	-0.2	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.2	-0.2
Labour force	77.3	<b>77.1</b>	0.9	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.4	-2.2	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.5	-2.8
Employment	71.8	<b>71.3</b>	0.9	<b>-0.5</b>	1.5	-3.0	<b>-0.7</b>	2.1	-4.0
Unemployment	5.5	<b>5.8</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	-1.8	0.8	<b>5.5</b>	-23.7	16.0
Participation rate	61.1	<b>60.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.3	-1.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.1	<b>7.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.4</b>	-2.3	1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.7	<b>56.4</b>	0.7	<b>-0.3</b>	1.3	-2.2	...	...	...
<b>Québec, Quebec</b>									
Population	646.6	<b>647.1</b>	...	<b>0.5</b>	2.2	5.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.8
Labour force	447.1	<b>443.1</b>	3.3	<b>-4.0</b>	3.5	-3.3	<b>-0.9</b>	0.8	-0.7
Employment	426.5	<b>422.0</b>	3.5	<b>-4.5</b>	3.3	-1.0	<b>-1.1</b>	0.8	-0.2
Unemployment	20.6	<b>21.1</b>	1.5	<b>0.5</b>	0.1	-2.3	<b>2.4</b>	0.5	-9.8
Participation rate	69.1	<b>68.5</b>	0.5	<b>-0.6</b>	0.3	-1.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.6	<b>4.8</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.0	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	66.0	<b>65.2</b>	0.5	<b>-0.8</b>	0.3	-0.7	...	...	...
<b>Sherbrooke, Quebec</b>									
Population	168.7	<b>168.9</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	1.1	2.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.3
Labour force	101.7	<b>101.5</b>	1.1	<b>-0.2</b>	-5.1	-2.0	<b>-0.2</b>	-4.8	-1.9
Employment	95.0	<b>94.0</b>	1.1	<b>-1.0</b>	-5.4	-1.3	<b>-1.1</b>	-5.4	-1.4
Unemployment	6.7	<b>7.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.8</b>	0.2	-0.7	<b>11.9</b>	2.7	-8.5
Participation rate	60.3	<b>60.1</b>	0.7	<b>-0.2</b>	-3.4	-2.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.6	<b>7.4</b>	0.5	<b>0.8</b>	0.6	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.3	<b>55.7</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	-3.5	-1.5	...	...	...

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Table 5-1 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Trois-Rivières, Quebec</b>									
Population	126.5	<b>126.6</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	1.0	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.8
Labour force	70.7	<b>70.7</b>	0.7	<b>0.0</b>	0.9	-5.1	<b>0.0</b>	1.3	-6.7
Employment	64.8	<b>64.2</b>	0.7	<b>-0.6</b>	0.1	-5.3	<b>-0.9</b>	0.2	-7.6
Unemployment	5.9	<b>6.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.6</b>	0.8	0.3	<b>10.2</b>	14.0	4.8
Participation rate	55.9	<b>55.8</b>	0.6	<b>-0.1</b>	0.5	-4.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.3	<b>9.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.9</b>	1.0	1.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	51.2	<b>50.7</b>	0.6	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.1	-4.6	...	...	...
<b>Montréal, Quebec</b>									
Population	3,283.9	<b>3,287.3</b>	...	<b>3.4</b>	17.7	35.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	1.1
Labour force	2,194.9	<b>2,210.4</b>	7.7	<b>15.5</b>	19.4	36.5	<b>0.7</b>	0.9	1.7
Employment	2,014.2	<b>2,029.0</b>	8.0	<b>14.8</b>	12.0	44.2	<b>0.7</b>	0.6	2.2
Unemployment	180.8	<b>181.3</b>	4.9	<b>0.5</b>	7.3	-7.7	<b>0.3</b>	4.2	-4.1
Participation rate	66.8	<b>67.2</b>	0.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.2	0.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.2	<b>8.2</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.3	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.3	<b>61.7</b>	0.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.0	0.7	...	...	...
<b>Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario/Quebec</b>									
Population	1,063.6	<b>1,064.9</b>	...	<b>1.3</b>	7.4	15.0	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.4
Labour force	740.9	<b>738.2</b>	3.8	<b>-2.7</b>	-29.0	-20.1	<b>-0.4</b>	-3.8	-2.7
Employment	695.6	<b>691.6</b>	3.8	<b>-4.0</b>	-24.9	-20.5	<b>-0.6</b>	-3.5	-2.9
Unemployment	45.3	<b>46.7</b>	1.9	<b>1.4</b>	-3.9	0.5	<b>3.1</b>	-7.7	1.1
Participation rate	69.7	<b>69.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-3.2	-2.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.1	<b>6.3</b>	0.2	<b>0.2</b>	-0.3	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.4	<b>64.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.5</b>	-2.9	-2.9	...	...	...
<b>Ottawa-Gatineau, Quebec part, Ontario/Quebec</b>									
Population	264.8	<b>265.1</b>	...	<b>0.3</b>	1.6	3.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.3
Labour force	181.9	<b>180.2</b>	1.3	<b>-1.7</b>	-3.5	-5.1	<b>-0.9</b>	-1.9	-2.8
Employment	171.1	<b>169.8</b>	1.3	<b>-1.3</b>	-1.8	-4.0	<b>-0.8</b>	-1.0	-2.3
Unemployment	10.8	<b>10.4</b>	0.6	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.7	-1.1	<b>-3.7</b>	-14.0	-9.6
Participation rate	68.7	<b>68.0</b>	0.5	<b>-0.7</b>	-1.7	-2.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.9	<b>5.8</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.8	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.6	<b>64.1</b>	0.5	<b>-0.5</b>	-1.0	-2.3	...	...	...
<b>Ottawa-Gatineau, Ontario part, Ontario/Quebec</b>									
Population	798.8	<b>799.9</b>	...	<b>1.1</b>	5.9	11.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.5
Labour force	559.0	<b>558.0</b>	3.6	<b>-1.0</b>	-25.5	-15.1	<b>-0.2</b>	-4.4	-2.6
Employment	524.5	<b>521.7</b>	3.6	<b>-2.8</b>	-23.2	-16.6	<b>-0.5</b>	-4.3	-3.1
Unemployment	34.5	<b>36.3</b>	1.8	<b>1.8</b>	-2.2	1.6	<b>5.2</b>	-5.7	4.6
Participation rate	70.0	<b>69.8</b>	0.5	<b>-0.2</b>	-3.7	-2.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.2	<b>6.5</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	-0.1	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.7	<b>65.2</b>	0.5	<b>-0.5</b>	-3.4	-3.1	...	...	...
<b>Kingston, Ontario</b>									
Population	134.9	<b>135.1</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.8	1.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.0
Labour force	86.7	<b>86.5</b>	0.8	<b>-0.2</b>	0.5	-0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	0.6	-0.2
Employment	81.4	<b>81.1</b>	0.8	<b>-0.3</b>	1.4	-0.5	<b>-0.4</b>	1.8	-0.6
Unemployment	5.2	<b>5.4</b>	0.3	<b>0.2</b>	-0.9	0.3	<b>3.8</b>	-14.3	5.9
Participation rate	64.3	<b>64.0</b>	0.6	<b>-0.3</b>	0.0	-0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	<b>6.2</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	-1.1	0.3	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.3	<b>60.0</b>	0.6	<b>-0.3</b>	0.7	-1.0	...	...	...
<b>Peterborough, Ontario</b>									
Population	103.3	<b>103.4</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.2	0.5
Labour force	58.7	<b>62.4</b>	1.0	<b>3.7</b>	6.0	-8.3	<b>6.3</b>	10.6	-11.7
Employment	51.6	<b>55.7</b>	1.0	<b>4.1</b>	4.1	-9.2	<b>7.9</b>	7.9	-14.2
Unemployment	7.0	<b>6.7</b>	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	1.9	0.9	<b>-4.3</b>	39.6	15.5
Participation rate	56.8	<b>60.3</b>	1.0	<b>3.5</b>	5.6	-8.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.9	<b>10.7</b>	0.8	<b>-1.2</b>	2.2	2.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	50.0	<b>53.9</b>	1.0	<b>3.9</b>	3.9	-9.2	...	...	...

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Table 5-1 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Oshawa, Ontario</b>									
Population	313.4	<b>313.8</b>	...	<b>0.4</b>	2.4	4.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.8	1.6
Labour force	213.8	<b>213.8</b>	1.6	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	3.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.0	1.5
Employment	197.9	<b>198.4</b>	1.6	<b>0.5</b>	5.4	5.5	<b>0.3</b>	2.8	2.9
Unemployment	15.9	<b>15.4</b>	0.9	<b>-0.5</b>	-5.2	-2.3	<b>-3.1</b>	-25.2	-13.0
Participation rate	68.2	<b>68.1</b>	0.5	<b>-0.1</b>	-0.5	-0.1	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.4	<b>7.2</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	-2.4	-1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.1	<b>63.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	1.2	0.8	...	...	...
<b>Toronto, Ontario</b>									
Population	4,956.6	<b>4,965.0</b>	...	<b>8.4</b>	47.2	93.3	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	1.9
Labour force	3,368.3	<b>3,393.7</b>	10.6	<b>25.4</b>	41.4	128.8	<b>0.8</b>	1.2	3.9
Employment	3,099.7	<b>3,128.6</b>	10.7	<b>28.9</b>	54.0	146.2	<b>0.9</b>	1.8	4.9
Unemployment	268.6	<b>265.1</b>	6.5	<b>-3.5</b>	-12.7	-17.4	<b>-1.3</b>	-4.6	-6.2
Participation rate	68.0	<b>68.4</b>	0.2	<b>0.4</b>	0.2	1.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.0	<b>7.8</b>	0.2	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.5	-0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.5	<b>63.0</b>	0.2	<b>0.5</b>	0.5	1.8	...	...	...
<b>Hamilton, Ontario</b>									
Population	629.7	<b>630.3</b>	...	<b>0.6</b>	3.2	6.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	1.0
Labour force	409.3	<b>404.3</b>	2.9	<b>-5.0</b>	-2.2	-2.3	<b>-1.2</b>	-0.5	-0.6
Employment	381.0	<b>379.3</b>	3.0	<b>-1.7</b>	-3.2	2.2	<b>-0.4</b>	-0.8	0.6
Unemployment	28.3	<b>25.0</b>	1.4	<b>-3.3</b>	1.1	-4.5	<b>-11.7</b>	4.6	-15.3
Participation rate	65.0	<b>64.1</b>	0.5	<b>-0.9</b>	-0.7	-1.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.9	<b>6.2</b>	0.3	<b>-0.7</b>	0.3	-1.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.5	<b>60.2</b>	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.8	-0.2	...	...	...
<b>St. Catharines-Niagara, Ontario</b>									
Population	340.5	<b>340.6</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	0.9	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.3
Labour force	217.3	<b>213.5</b>	1.7	<b>-3.8</b>	-4.7	-8.0	<b>-1.7</b>	-2.2	-3.6
Employment	198.7	<b>195.8</b>	1.8	<b>-2.9</b>	-5.3	-7.7	<b>-1.5</b>	-2.6	-3.8
Unemployment	18.6	<b>17.7</b>	0.8	<b>-0.9</b>	0.6	-0.3	<b>-4.8</b>	3.5	-1.7
Participation rate	63.8	<b>62.7</b>	0.5	<b>-1.1</b>	-1.5	-2.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.6	<b>8.3</b>	0.4	<b>-0.3</b>	0.5	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.4	<b>57.5</b>	0.5	<b>-0.9</b>	-1.6	-2.4	...	...	...
<b>Kitchener-Cambridge-Waterloo, Ontario</b>									
Population	417.0	<b>417.5</b>	...	<b>0.5</b>	2.5	4.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.1
Labour force	299.4	<b>301.5</b>	2.2	<b>2.1</b>	8.4	1.7	<b>0.7</b>	2.9	0.6
Employment	277.9	<b>278.9</b>	2.2	<b>1.0</b>	6.0	-0.2	<b>0.4</b>	2.2	-0.1
Unemployment	21.6	<b>22.6</b>	1.0	<b>1.0</b>	2.4	1.9	<b>4.6</b>	11.9	9.2
Participation rate	71.8	<b>72.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.4</b>	1.6	-0.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.2	<b>7.5</b>	0.3	<b>0.3</b>	0.6	0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	66.6	<b>66.8</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	-0.8	...	...	...
<b>Brantford, Ontario</b>									
Population	109.1	<b>109.2</b>	...	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.7	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.6
Labour force	73.8	<b>73.9</b>	0.8	<b>0.1</b>	1.8	-0.4	<b>0.1</b>	2.5	-0.5
Employment	68.6	<b>69.0</b>	0.8	<b>0.4</b>	2.8	0.8	<b>0.6</b>	4.2	1.2
Unemployment	5.3	<b>4.9</b>	0.4	<b>-0.4</b>	-1.0	-1.3	<b>-7.5</b>	-16.9	-21.0
Participation rate	67.6	<b>67.7</b>	0.7	<b>0.1</b>	1.5	-0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.2	<b>6.6</b>	0.5	<b>-0.6</b>	-1.6	-1.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.9	<b>63.2</b>	0.7	<b>0.3</b>	2.4	0.3	...	...	...
<b>Guelph, Ontario</b>									
Population	116.7	<b>116.9</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	1.9	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.7
Labour force	81.5	<b>81.5</b>	0.8	<b>0.0</b>	-0.8	-2.7	<b>0.0</b>	-1.0	-3.2
Employment	75.4	<b>75.1</b>	0.8	<b>-0.3</b>	-2.0	-4.8	<b>-0.4</b>	-2.6	-6.0
Unemployment	6.1	<b>6.4</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	1.2	2.1	<b>4.9</b>	23.1	48.8
Participation rate	69.8	<b>69.7</b>	0.7	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.3	-3.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.5	<b>7.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.4</b>	1.6	2.8	...	...	...
Employment rate	64.6	<b>64.2</b>	0.7	<b>-0.4</b>	-2.3	-5.3	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>London, Ontario</b>									
Population	418.9	<b>419.3</b>	...	<b>0.4</b>	1.9	3.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	0.8
Labour force	271.8	<b>270.6</b>	2.0	<b>-1.2</b>	1.8	-3.2	<b>-0.4</b>	0.7	-1.2
Employment	245.1	<b>245.8</b>	2.1	<b>0.7</b>	-0.3	-4.6	<b>0.3</b>	-0.1	-1.8
Unemployment	26.7	<b>24.8</b>	1.0	<b>-1.9</b>	2.2	1.5	<b>-7.1</b>	9.7	6.4
Participation rate	64.9	<b>64.5</b>	0.5	<b>-0.4</b>	0.1	-1.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.8	<b>9.2</b>	0.4	<b>-0.6</b>	0.8	0.7	...	...	...
Employment rate	58.5	<b>58.6</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	-0.4	-1.6	...	...	...
<b>Windsor, Ontario</b>									
Population	268.8	<b>269.0</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	1.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.5
Labour force	168.1	<b>168.7</b>	1.6	<b>0.6</b>	-0.3	2.4	<b>0.4</b>	-0.2	1.4
Employment	152.2	<b>152.8</b>	1.6	<b>0.6</b>	1.4	2.0	<b>0.4</b>	0.9	1.3
Unemployment	16.0	<b>15.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.7	0.3	<b>-0.6</b>	-9.7	1.9
Participation rate	62.5	<b>62.7</b>	0.6	<b>0.2</b>	-0.3	0.6	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	9.5	<b>9.4</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.0	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	56.6	<b>56.8</b>	0.6	<b>0.2</b>	0.4	0.5	...	...	...
<b>Barrie, Ontario</b>									
Population	164.7	<b>164.9</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	1.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.1
Labour force	124.6	<b>122.4</b>	1.4	<b>-2.2</b>	5.7	7.4	<b>-1.8</b>	4.9	6.4
Employment	114.4	<b>112.5</b>	1.4	<b>-1.9</b>	4.4	6.6	<b>-1.7</b>	4.1	6.2
Unemployment	10.2	<b>9.9</b>	0.7	<b>-0.3</b>	1.3	0.8	<b>-2.9</b>	15.1	8.8
Participation rate	75.7	<b>74.2</b>	0.9	<b>-1.5</b>	3.0	3.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.2	<b>8.1</b>	0.6	<b>-0.1</b>	0.7	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.5	<b>68.2</b>	0.9	<b>-1.3</b>	2.2	3.3	...	...	...
<b>Greater Sudbury, Ontario</b>									
Population	138.2	<b>138.2</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	-0.4	-0.9	<b>0.0</b>	-0.3	-0.6
Labour force	89.8	<b>89.5</b>	0.8	<b>-0.3</b>	1.4	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	1.6	0.6
Employment	82.9	<b>82.8</b>	0.8	<b>-0.1</b>	0.7	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	0.9	0.4
Unemployment	6.9	<b>6.7</b>	0.3	<b>-0.2</b>	0.7	0.2	<b>-2.9</b>	11.7	3.1
Participation rate	65.0	<b>64.8</b>	0.6	<b>-0.2</b>	1.2	0.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.7	<b>7.5</b>	0.4	<b>-0.2</b>	0.7	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.0	<b>59.9</b>	0.6	<b>-0.1</b>	0.7	0.6	...	...	...
<b>Thunder Bay, Ontario</b>									
Population	103.2	<b>103.2</b>	...	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.4
Labour force	65.5	<b>66.0</b>	0.6	<b>0.5</b>	2.6	1.6	<b>0.8</b>	4.1	2.5
Employment	61.6	<b>62.0</b>	0.7	<b>0.4</b>	1.7	1.3	<b>0.6</b>	2.8	2.1
Unemployment	3.9	<b>4.0</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	0.9	0.3	<b>2.6</b>	29.0	8.1
Participation rate	63.5	<b>64.0</b>	0.6	<b>0.5</b>	2.5	1.4	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.0	<b>6.1</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	1.2	0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	59.7	<b>60.1</b>	0.6	<b>0.4</b>	1.6	1.1	...	...	...
<b>Winnipeg, Manitoba</b>									
Population	640.1	<b>641.1</b>	...	<b>1.0</b>	5.4	9.3	<b>0.2</b>	0.8	1.5
Labour force	446.2	<b>447.8</b>	1.3	<b>1.6</b>	7.1	5.5	<b>0.4</b>	1.6	1.2
Employment	418.3	<b>419.5</b>	1.4	<b>1.2</b>	3.3	1.0	<b>0.3</b>	0.8	0.2
Unemployment	28.0	<b>28.3</b>	0.8	<b>0.3</b>	3.9	4.5	<b>1.1</b>	16.0	18.9
Participation rate	69.7	<b>69.8</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	-0.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.3	<b>6.3</b>	0.2	<b>0.0</b>	0.8	0.9	...	...	...
Employment rate	65.3	<b>65.4</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	-0.1	-0.8	...	...	...
<b>Regina, Saskatchewan</b>									
Population	183.8	<b>184.3</b>	...	<b>0.5</b>	2.4	4.6	<b>0.3</b>	1.3	2.6
Labour force	138.4	<b>139.3</b>	0.8	<b>0.9</b>	5.8	8.9	<b>0.7</b>	4.3	6.8
Employment	133.3	<b>134.3</b>	0.8	<b>1.0</b>	6.5	9.1	<b>0.8</b>	5.1	7.3
Unemployment	5.0	<b>5.1</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.6	-0.2	<b>2.0</b>	-10.5	-3.8
Participation rate	75.3	<b>75.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	2.2	3.0	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	3.6	<b>3.7</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.6	-0.4	...	...	...
Employment rate	72.5	<b>72.9</b>	0.4	<b>0.4</b>	2.6	3.2	...	...	...

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 5-1 – continued

## Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — 3 month moving average

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Saskatoon, Saskatchewan</b>									
Population	233.2	<b>234.0</b>	...	<b>0.8</b>	4.3	8.3	<b>0.3</b>	1.9	3.7
Labour force	168.0	<b>168.4</b>	0.9	<b>0.4</b>	4.7	8.6	<b>0.2</b>	2.9	5.4
Employment	161.6	<b>161.9</b>	1.0	<b>0.3</b>	7.3	10.8	<b>0.2</b>	4.7	7.1
Unemployment	6.5	<b>6.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.0</b>	-2.5	-2.2	<b>0.0</b>	-27.8	-25.3
Participation rate	72.0	<b>72.0</b>	0.4	<b>0.0</b>	0.7	1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	3.9	<b>3.9</b>	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	-1.6	-1.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.3	<b>69.2</b>	0.4	<b>-0.1</b>	1.9	2.3	...	...	...
<b>Calgary, Alberta</b>									
Population	1,086.7	<b>1,090.9</b>	...	<b>4.2</b>	20.6	37.3	<b>0.4</b>	1.9	3.5
Labour force	800.2	<b>804.0</b>	3.5	<b>3.8</b>	6.0	13.6	<b>0.5</b>	0.8	1.7
Employment	761.3	<b>763.5</b>	3.7	<b>2.2</b>	2.5	10.8	<b>0.3</b>	0.3	1.4
Unemployment	38.9	<b>40.5</b>	1.8	<b>1.6</b>	3.5	2.8	<b>4.1</b>	9.5	7.4
Participation rate	73.6	<b>73.7</b>	0.3	<b>0.1</b>	-0.9	-1.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.9	<b>5.0</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.4	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	70.1	<b>70.0</b>	0.3	<b>-0.1</b>	-1.1	-1.4	...	...	...
<b>Edmonton, Alberta</b>									
Population	1,019.0	<b>1,022.8</b>	...	<b>3.8</b>	19.6	37.4	<b>0.4</b>	2.0	3.8
Labour force	737.3	<b>745.0</b>	3.3	<b>7.7</b>	6.5	20.3	<b>1.0</b>	0.9	2.8
Employment	704.2	<b>710.9</b>	3.5	<b>6.7</b>	5.6	18.2	<b>1.0</b>	0.8	2.6
Unemployment	33.1	<b>34.1</b>	1.7	<b>1.0</b>	1.0	2.1	<b>3.0</b>	3.0	6.6
Participation rate	72.4	<b>72.8</b>	0.3	<b>0.4</b>	-0.8	-0.7	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	4.5	<b>4.6</b>	0.2	<b>0.1</b>	0.1	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	69.1	<b>69.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.4</b>	-0.8	-0.8	...	...	...
<b>Kelowna, British Columbia</b>									
Population	150.7	<b>150.9</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	0.8	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	0.5
Labour force	94.3	<b>94.8</b>	1.9	<b>0.5</b>	-5.5	-5.3	<b>0.5</b>	-5.5	-5.3
Employment	87.2	<b>87.5</b>	1.8	<b>0.3</b>	-5.4	-5.4	<b>0.3</b>	-5.8	-5.8
Unemployment	7.1	<b>7.3</b>	0.9	<b>0.2</b>	-0.1	0.1	<b>2.8</b>	-1.4	1.4
Participation rate	62.6	<b>62.8</b>	1.3	<b>0.2</b>	-4.0	-3.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.5	<b>7.7</b>	0.9	<b>0.2</b>	0.3	0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	57.9	<b>58.0</b>	1.2	<b>0.1</b>	-3.9	-3.9	...	...	...
<b>Abbotsford-Mission, British Columbia</b>									
Population	146.7	<b>146.9</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	0.8	1.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.5	1.0
Labour force	99.8	<b>101.7</b>	0.8	<b>1.9</b>	2.1	4.2	<b>1.9</b>	2.1	4.3
Employment	91.5	<b>93.1</b>	0.9	<b>1.6</b>	1.1	2.7	<b>1.7</b>	1.2	3.0
Unemployment	8.3	<b>8.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	1.0	1.5	<b>3.6</b>	13.2	21.1
Participation rate	68.0	<b>69.2</b>	0.6	<b>1.2</b>	1.0	2.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.3	<b>8.5</b>	0.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	62.4	<b>63.4</b>	0.6	<b>1.0</b>	0.4	1.3	...	...	...
<b>Vancouver, British Columbia</b>									
Population	2,089.1	<b>2,092.4</b>	...	<b>3.3</b>	19.3	37.1	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.8
Labour force	1,371.8	<b>1,363.2</b>	5.1	<b>-8.6</b>	0.6	-8.1	<b>-0.6</b>	0.0	-0.6
Employment	1,278.2	<b>1,275.0</b>	5.1	<b>-3.2</b>	3.7	-7.0	<b>-0.3</b>	0.3	-0.5
Unemployment	93.5	<b>88.2</b>	2.9	<b>-5.3</b>	-3.2	-1.0	<b>-5.7</b>	-3.5	-1.1
Participation rate	65.7	<b>65.2</b>	0.2	<b>-0.5</b>	-0.5	-1.5	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.8	<b>6.5</b>	0.2	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.2	0.0	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.2	<b>60.9</b>	0.2	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.4	-1.5	...	...	...
<b>Victoria, British Columbia</b>									
Population	304.1	<b>304.3</b>	...	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	2.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	0.7
Labour force	193.0	<b>194.2</b>	1.5	<b>1.2</b>	-4.1	-1.4	<b>0.6</b>	-2.1	-0.7
Employment	182.4	<b>183.5</b>	1.5	<b>1.1</b>	-4.0	-1.6	<b>0.6</b>	-2.1	-0.9
Unemployment	10.7	<b>10.7</b>	0.6	<b>0.0</b>	-0.1	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	-0.9	2.9
Participation rate	63.5	<b>63.8</b>	0.5	<b>0.3</b>	-1.6	-0.9	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	5.5	<b>5.5</b>	0.3	<b>0.0</b>	0.1	0.2	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.0	<b>60.3</b>	0.5	<b>0.3</b>	-1.5	-1.0	...	...	...

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

**Note(s):** Estimates in this table are based on 2006 census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0116. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.

**Table 5-2**  
**Labour force characteristics by census metropolitan area (seasonally adjusted) — Monthly**

	May 2013	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from			Percent change from		
				last month	last December	twelve months ago	last month	last December	twelve months ago
in thousands (except rates)									
<b>Montréal, Quebec</b>									
Population	3,287.2	<b>3,290.6</b>	...	<b>3.4</b>	18.4	36.1	<b>0.1</b>	0.6	1.1
Labour force	2,216.7	<b>2,222.3</b>	15.8	<b>5.6</b>	21.9	65.6	<b>0.3</b>	1.0	3.0
Employment	2,034.3	<b>2,040.5</b>	15.9	<b>6.2</b>	5.2	71.8	<b>0.3</b>	0.3	3.6
Unemployment	182.4	<b>181.8</b>	11.8	<b>-0.6</b>	16.7	-6.2	<b>-0.3</b>	10.1	-3.3
Participation rate	67.4	<b>67.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	1.2	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	8.2	<b>8.2</b>	0.5	<b>0.0</b>	0.7	-0.5	...	...	...
Employment rate	61.9	<b>62.0</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	-0.2	1.5	...	...	...
<b>Toronto, Ontario</b>									
Population	4,964.7	<b>4,972.9</b>	...	<b>8.2</b>	48.2	93.1	<b>0.2</b>	1.0	1.9
Labour force	3,389.8	<b>3,411.0</b>	21.6	<b>21.2</b>	54.5	128.1	<b>0.6</b>	1.6	3.9
Employment	3,133.5	<b>3,145.1</b>	21.3	<b>11.6</b>	65.4	139.0	<b>0.4</b>	2.1	4.6
Unemployment	256.2	<b>265.9</b>	15.8	<b>9.7</b>	-10.9	-11.0	<b>3.8</b>	-3.9	-4.0
Participation rate	68.3	<b>68.6</b>	0.4	<b>0.3</b>	0.4	1.3	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	7.6	<b>7.8</b>	0.5	<b>0.2</b>	-0.4	-0.6	...	...	...
Employment rate	63.1	<b>63.2</b>	0.4	<b>0.1</b>	0.7	1.6	...	...	...
<b>Vancouver, British Columbia</b>									
Population	2,092.2	<b>2,095.7</b>	...	<b>3.5</b>	19.7	37.4	<b>0.2</b>	0.9	1.8
Labour force	1,361.1	<b>1,358.5</b>	11.0	<b>-2.6</b>	1.7	-12.5	<b>-0.2</b>	0.1	-0.9
Employment	1,274.1	<b>1,270.8</b>	10.7	<b>-3.3</b>	-2.0	-9.5	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.2	-0.7
Unemployment	87.0	<b>87.7</b>	7.1	<b>0.7</b>	3.7	-3.0	<b>0.8</b>	4.4	-3.3
Participation rate	65.1	<b>64.8</b>	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.6	-1.8	...	...	...
Unemployment rate	6.4	<b>6.5</b>	0.5	<b>0.1</b>	0.3	-0.1	...	...	...
Employment rate	60.9	<b>60.6</b>	0.5	<b>-0.3</b>	-0.7	-1.6	...	...	...

1. Average standard error of change in two consecutive months (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

**Note(s):** Estimates in this table are based on 2006 census boundaries. Related CANSIM Table 282-0117. The sum of individual categories may not always add to the total due to rounding.



Table 6-1

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
in thousands							
<b>Canada <sup>2</sup></b>							
2012	28,271.6	19,003.7	17,628.4	1,375.2	67.2	7.2	62.4
2013	28,621.6	19,197.8	17,839.5	1,358.3	67.1	7.1	62.3
<b>Newfoundland and Labrador</b>							
2012	427.4	266.8	234.1	32.6	62.4	12.2	54.8
2013	429.5	266.8	236.3	30.5	62.1	11.4	55.0
<b>Avalon Peninsula [1010]</b>							
2012	221.5	150.5	137.5	13.0	67.9	8.6	62.1
2013	224.3	148.2	136.6	11.6	66.1	7.8	60.9
<b>South Coast-Burin Peninsula [1020]</b>							
2012	30.1	15.8	12.9	2.9	52.5	18.4	42.9
2013	29.8	17.1	14.0	3.1	57.4	18.1	47.0
<b>West Coast-Northern Peninsula-Labrador [1030]</b>							
2012	86.0	50.1	41.8	8.3	58.3	16.6	48.6
2013	85.8	51.9	44.8	7.0	60.5	13.5	52.2
<b>Notre Dame-Central Bonavista Bay [1040]</b>							
2012	89.9	50.3	41.9	8.4	56.0	16.7	46.6
2013	89.6	49.6	40.8	8.8	55.4	17.7	45.5
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>							
2012	120.6	83.4	74.3	9.1	69.2	10.9	61.6
2013	120.7	85.0	75.9	9.1	70.4	10.7	62.9
<b>Nova Scotia</b>							
2012	780.1	504.7	458.0	46.7	64.7	9.3	58.7
2013	781.2	505.8	460.9	44.9	64.7	8.9	59.0
<b>Cape Breton [1210]</b>							
2012	111.0	64.6	55.5	9.1	58.2	14.1	50.0
2013	109.8	65.2	57.0	8.3	59.4	12.7	51.9
<b>North Shore [1220]</b>							
2012	129.3	82.8	74.7	8.2	64.0	9.9	57.8
2013	128.7	77.8	70.0	7.8	60.5	10.0	54.4
<b>Annapolis Valley [1230]</b>							
2012	99.5	60.7	54.4	6.3	61.0	10.4	54.7
2013	99.3	61.6	56.1	5.5	62.0	8.9	56.5
<b>Southern [1240]</b>							
2012	97.3	56.6	50.0	6.6	58.2	11.7	51.4
2013	96.3	57.1	50.4	6.7	59.3	11.7	52.3
<b>Halifax [1250]</b>							
2012	342.9	239.8	223.4	16.4	69.9	6.8	65.2
2013	347.0	244.1	227.4	16.7	70.3	6.8	65.5
<b>New Brunswick</b>							
2012	620.3	396.8	358.9	37.8	64.0	9.5	57.9
2013	619.8	395.7	352.9	42.8	63.8	10.8	56.9
<b>Campbellton-Miramichi [1310]</b>							
2012	127.9	72.0	60.2	11.8	56.3	16.4	47.1
2013	126.3	76.1	62.9	13.2	60.3	17.3	49.8
<b>Moncton-Richibucto [1320]</b>							
2012	173.4	118.6	109.9	8.7	68.4	7.3	63.4
2013	174.6	114.9	104.9	10.0	65.8	8.7	60.1
<b>Saint John-St. Stephen [1330]</b>							
2012	144.6	95.8	87.5	8.4	66.3	8.8	60.5
2013	144.5	93.3	82.9	10.4	64.6	11.1	57.4

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
in thousands							
<b>Fredericton-Oromocto [1340]</b>							
2012	110.0	70.3	65.6	4.7	63.9	6.7	59.6
2013	110.8	70.2	65.6	4.6	63.4	6.6	59.2
<b>Edmundston-Woodstock [1350]</b>							
2012	64.4	40.0	35.8	4.2	62.1	10.5	55.6
2013	63.6	41.2	36.5	4.6	64.8	11.2	57.4
<b>Quebec</b>							
2012	6,629.2	4,359.0	4,022.4	336.6	65.8	7.7	60.7
2013	6,684.9	4,405.6	4,065.5	340.1	65.9	7.7	60.8
<b>Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine [2410]</b>							
2012	78.6	44.0	38.6	5.4	56.0	12.3	49.1
2013	78.3	44.2	36.7	7.5	56.4	17.0	46.9
<b>Bas-Saint-Laurent [2415]</b>							
2012	166.5	106.9	96.8	10.1	64.2	9.4	58.1
2013	165.9	100.1	91.0	9.1	60.3	9.1	54.9
<b>Capitale-Nationale [2420]</b>							
2012	593.3	417.4	393.1	24.3	70.4	5.8	66.3
2013	598.2	406.8	384.3	22.5	68.0	5.5	64.2
<b>Chaudière-Appalaches [2425]</b>							
2012	335.2	217.3	207.1	10.2	64.8	4.7	61.8
2013	336.7	225.7	211.4	14.3	67.0	6.3	62.8
<b>Estrie [2430]</b>							
2012	260.3	151.8	139.1	12.7	58.3	8.4	53.4
2013	262.4	165.1	154.9	10.2	62.9	6.2	59.0
<b>Centre-du-Québec [2433]</b>							
2012	191.9	113.5	103.0	10.5	59.1	9.3	53.7
2013	193.1	124.3	114.7	9.6	64.4	7.7	59.4
<b>Montérégie [2435]</b>							
2012	1,202.0	802.4	752.5	49.9	66.8	6.2	62.6
2013	1,213.7	825.8	773.5	52.3	68.0	6.3	63.7
<b>Montréal [2440]</b>							
2012	1,630.4	1,058.8	947.4	111.4	64.9	10.5	58.1
2013	1,644.7	1,082.2	976.7	105.5	65.8	9.7	59.4
<b>Laval [2445]</b>							
2012	338.2	235.8	218.5	17.3	69.7	7.3	64.6
2013	343.5	237.5	222.0	15.6	69.1	6.6	64.6
<b>Lanaudière [2450]</b>							
2012	396.9	267.1	247.7	19.3	67.3	7.2	62.4
2013	402.0	269.5	247.3	22.2	67.0	8.2	61.5
<b>Laurentides [2455]</b>							
2012	469.9	335.0	313.9	21.2	71.3	6.3	66.8
2013	476.2	328.7	307.7	21.0	69.0	6.4	64.6
<b>Outaouais [2460]</b>							
2012	310.1	211.7	197.9	13.8	68.3	6.5	63.8
2013	314.0	204.3	191.5	12.8	65.1	6.3	61.0
<b>Abitibi-Témiscamingue [2465]</b>							
2012	117.9	73.2	68.8	4.5	62.1	6.1	58.4
2013	118.0	79.2	72.4	6.8	67.1	8.6	61.4
<b>Mauricie [2470]</b>							
2012	222.1	125.2	113.3	11.9	56.4	9.5	51.0
2013	222.2	117.8	105.4	12.5	53.0	10.6	47.4

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
in thousands							
Saguenay-Lac-Saint-Jean [2475]							
2012	225.4	142.4	132.1	10.3	63.2	7.2	58.6
2013	225.0	137.0	123.7	13.3	60.9	9.7	55.0
Côte-Nord and Nord-du-Québec [2480, 2490]							
2012	90.8	56.6	52.8	3.8	62.3	6.7	58.1
2013	90.9	57.3	52.4	4.9	63.0	8.6	57.6
<b>Ontario</b>							
2012	11,054.2	7,399.9	6,818.1	581.9	66.9	7.9	61.7
2013	11,185.1	7,486.3	6,923.8	562.5	66.9	7.5	61.9
Ottawa [3510]							
2012	1,061.1	757.4	711.0	46.4	71.4	6.1	67.0
2013	1,073.4	731.6	685.2	46.5	68.2	6.4	63.8
Kingston-Pembroke [3515]							
2012	372.0	232.2	216.2	16.0	62.4	6.9	58.1
2013	372.9	228.9	214.2	14.8	61.4	6.5	57.4
Muskoka-Kawarthas [3520]							
2012	319.9	192.7	178.4	14.3	60.2	7.4	55.8
2013	321.1	187.9	171.4	16.5	58.5	8.8	53.4
Toronto [3530]							
2012	5,131.1	3,455.3	3,145.6	309.7	67.3	9.0	61.3
2013	5,224.5	3,580.1	3,293.3	286.8	68.5	8.0	63.0
Kitchener-Waterloo-Barrie [3540]							
2012	1,049.6	740.1	691.5	48.7	70.5	6.6	65.9
2013	1,062.7	761.9	707.5	54.4	71.7	7.1	66.6
Hamilton-Niagara Peninsula [3550]							
2012	1,178.0	773.9	716.9	57.0	65.7	7.4	60.9
2013	1,187.3	764.4	713.7	50.6	64.4	6.6	60.1
London [3560]							
2012	544.4	362.7	334.1	28.7	66.6	7.9	61.4
2013	548.6	362.5	332.5	30.1	66.1	8.3	60.6
Windsor-Sarnia [3570]							
2012	519.1	325.5	297.4	28.1	62.7	8.6	57.3
2013	518.7	320.7	292.4	28.3	61.8	8.8	56.4
Stratford-Bruce Peninsula [3580]							
2012	245.8	164.3	158.0	6.4	66.8	3.9	64.3
2013	245.6	159.6	152.2	7.4	65.0	4.6	62.0
Northeast [3590]							
2012	460.0	285.2	267.6	17.7	62.0	6.2	58.2
2013	457.3	277.8	257.8	20.0	60.7	7.2	56.4
Northwest [3595]							
2012	173.1	110.5	101.5	9.0	63.8	8.1	58.6
2013	172.9	110.7	103.5	7.2	64.0	6.5	59.9
<b>Manitoba</b>							
2012	962.2	668.2	635.0	33.1	69.4	5.0	66.0
2013	972.0	672.4	637.3	35.1	69.2	5.2	65.6
Southeast [4610]							
2012	84.0	58.4	56.5	2.0	69.5	3.4	67.3
2013	85.2	60.2	57.9	2.3	70.7	3.8	68.0
South Central [4620]							
2012	48.2	32.2	30.9	1.3	66.8	4.0	64.1
2013	48.8	33.1	32.4	0.7	67.8	2.1	66.4

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 6-1 – continued

**Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013**

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
in thousands							
<b>Southwest [4630]</b>							
2012	83.9	60.6	57.6	3.0	72.2	5.0	68.7
2013	84.2	57.8	56.1	1.7	68.6	2.9	66.6
<b>North Central [4640]</b>							
2012	36.8	24.0	23.3	0.6	65.2	2.5	63.3
2013	36.9	25.8	25.1	0.7	69.9	2.7	68.0
<b>Winnipeg [4650]</b>							
2012	577.2	402.3	380.5	21.8	69.7	5.4	65.9
2013	585.0	409.3	383.8	25.5	70.0	6.2	65.6
<b>Interlake [4660]</b>							
2012	73.0	52.1	50.3	1.8	71.4	3.5	68.9
2013	73.6	48.2	46.1	2.0	65.5	4.1	62.6
<b>Parklands and North [4670, 4680]</b>							
2012	59.2	38.6	35.9	2.7	65.2	7.0	60.6
2013	58.3	38.0	35.8	2.2	65.2	5.8	61.4
<b>Saskatchewan</b>							
2012	808.9	569.3	542.3	27.0	70.4	4.7	67.0
2013	823.4	582.8	559.2	23.6	70.8	4.0	67.9
<b>Regina-Moose Mountain [4710]</b>							
2012	241.0	175.3	169.0	6.3	72.7	3.6	70.1
2013	246.4	182.6	176.5	6.0	74.1	3.3	71.6
<b>Swift Current-Moose Jaw [4720]</b>							
2012	81.1	54.4	51.8	2.6	67.1	4.8	63.9
2013	81.3	54.5	52.6	1.8	67.0	3.3	64.7
<b>Saskatoon-Biggar [4730]</b>							
2012	270.1	192.2	182.0	10.2	71.2	5.3	67.4
2013	278.0	200.3	192.2	8.1	72.1	4.0	69.1
<b>Yorkton-Melville [4740]</b>							
2012	62.6	40.0	38.4	1.6	63.9	4.0	61.3
2013	62.4	41.0	38.8	2.2	65.7	5.4	62.2
<b>Prince Albert and Northern [4750, 4760]</b>							
2012	154.1	107.4	101.1	6.3	69.7	5.9	65.6
2013	155.3	104.4	99.0	5.4	67.2	5.2	63.7
<b>Alberta</b>							
2012	3,058.3	2,261.1	2,157.1	104.0	73.9	4.6	70.5
2013	3,156.6	2,315.3	2,204.8	110.5	73.3	4.8	69.8
<b>Lethbridge-Medicine Hat [4810]</b>							
2012	221.6	153.1	145.8	7.2	69.1	4.7	65.8
2013	226.6	150.6	141.6	9.0	66.5	6.0	62.5
<b>Camrose-Drumheller [4820]</b>							
2012	156.9	114.8	109.5	5.3	73.2	4.6	69.8
2013	159.4	114.6	110.7	3.8	71.9	3.3	69.4
<b>Calgary [4830]</b>							
2012	1,132.8	853.4	812.7	40.7	75.3	4.8	71.7
2013	1,173.0	870.3	827.1	43.2	74.2	5.0	70.5
<b>Banff-Jasper-Rocky Mountain House [4840]</b>							
2012	72.1	54.6	52.3	2.2	75.7	4.0	72.5
2013	73.7	55.3	53.1	2.2	75.0	4.0	72.0

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Table 6-1 – continued

**Labour force characteristics by province and economic region, <sup>1</sup> unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013**

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
in thousands							
Red Deer [4850]							
2012	156.7	114.8	108.9	5.9	73.3	5.1	69.5
2013	161.1	123.2	115.9	7.2	76.5	5.8	71.9
Edmonton [4860]							
2012	1,021.3	748.7	716.1	32.6	73.3	4.4	70.1
2013	1,058.8	768.3	732.6	35.7	72.6	4.6	69.2
Athabasca-Grande Prairie-Peace River [4870]							
2012	191.7	137.5	131.3	6.2	71.7	4.5	68.5
2013	194.9	146.2	140.6	5.6	75.0	3.8	72.1
Wood Buffalo-Cold Lake [4880]							
2012	105.2	84.3	80.4	3.9	80.1	4.6	76.4
2013	109.1	86.9	83.1	3.8	79.7	4.4	76.2
<b>British Columbia</b>							
2012	3,810.3	2,494.5	2,328.1	166.3	65.5	6.7	61.1
2013	3,848.4	2,482.3	2,323.0	159.2	64.5	6.4	60.4
Vancouver Island and Coast [5910]							
2012	658.1	394.4	371.6	22.9	59.9	5.8	56.5
2013	660.6	403.7	378.9	24.8	61.1	6.1	57.4
Lower Mainland-Southwest [5920]							
2012	2,344.4	1,562.2	1,458.9	103.3	66.6	6.6	62.2
2013	2,384.2	1,563.2	1,460.2	103.0	65.6	6.6	61.2
Thompson-Okanagan [5930]							
2012	436.2	280.8	260.5	20.3	64.4	7.2	59.7
2013	434.0	264.2	247.0	17.2	60.9	6.5	56.9
Kootenay [5940]							
2012	127.0	78.4	73.1	5.2	61.7	6.6	57.6
2013	126.3	83.4	78.4	5.1	66.0	6.1	62.1
Cariboo [5950]							
2012	126.9	93.0	85.7	7.3	73.3	7.8	67.5
2013	125.9	85.5	81.2	4.3	67.9	5.0	64.5
North Coast and Nechako [5960, 5970]							
2012	66.1	44.3	38.9	5.4	67.0	12.2	58.9
2013	65.1	43.3	40.4	2.9	66.5	6.7	62.1
Northeast [5980]							
2012	51.7	41.3	39.4	2.0	79.9	4.8	76.2
2013	52.2	39.0	37.1	1.9	74.7	4.9	71.1

1. For geographic descriptions of economic regions, refer to the Guide to the Labour Force Survey (catalogue number 71-543-GIE).

2. Estimates for Canada are a sum of the provincial totals and exclude estimates from Yukon, Northwest Territories and Nunavut.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM table 282-0054.

**Table 6-2**  
**Labour force characteristics by territories, unadjusted for seasonality, 3 month moving average ending in June 2012 and June 2013**

	Population	Labour force			Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Unemployment			
		in thousands			percent		
<b>Yukon <sup>1</sup></b>							
2012	26.9	20.6	19.0	1.6	76.6	7.8	70.6
2013	27.6	20.7	19.6	1.1	75.0	5.3	71.0
<b>Northwest Territories <sup>2</sup></b>							
2012	32.0	24.7	22.6	2.1	77.2	8.5	70.6
2013	32.0	24.8	23.0	1.8	77.5	7.3	71.9
<b>Nunavut <sup>3</sup></b>							
2012	21.1	14.2	12.0	2.2	67.3	15.7	56.8
2013	21.5	14.4	12.4	2.0	66.9	13.7	57.7

1. Since 1992, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been conducted in the Yukon, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in the national totals. In 1995, the LFS in the Yukon underwent a sample redesign. One result of the redesign was that the covered population increased from 85% to 92%, which is reflected by the sharp increase in the three month moving averages estimates of January, February and March of 1995 for all the level estimates. Users are therefore warned to be cautious when comparing estimates before January 1995 to estimates for January 1995 and forward.
2. Since 2001, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been administered in the Northwest Territories, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are not included in national totals.
3. Since 2004, the Labour force survey (LFS) has been administered in Nunavut, using an alternative methodology that accommodates some of the operational difficulties inherent to remote locales. These estimates are 3-month moving averages and are not included in national totals. From January 2004 to December 2007, estimates represent about 70% of all Nunavut residents aged 15 and over. Starting in January 2008, coverage was extended to 92%, so that by March 2008, the 3-month moving average is completely based on the extended coverage. Because of the large difference in coverage, users are recommended not to compare estimates prior to January 2008 with data afterwards. The January and February 2008 3-month moving average estimates are based on a mix of both coverages, since the extended coverage was introduced in January 2008. Estimates from January 2004 to December 2007 are based on the 10 largest communities in Nunavut: Iqaluit, Rankin Inlet, Cambridge Bay, Kugluktuk, Baker Lake, Arviat, Pond Inlet, Cape Dorset, Pangnirtung, Igloolik. Estimates from March 2008 to present cover the above communities as well as: Taloyoak, Gjoa Haven, Kugaaruk, Coral Harbour, Repulse Bay, Qikiqtarjuaq, Arctic Bay, Hall Beach, Clyde River.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM table 282-0100.

**Table 7**  
**Average usual hours and wages of employees by selected characteristics, Canada, unadjusted for seasonality**

	Employees				Full-time			Part-time		
	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Average hourly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages	Number	Average weekly hours	Average weekly wages
	thousands		current dollars		thousands		current dollars	thousands		current dollars
<b>June 2013</b>										
15 years and over	15,367.5	35.5	882.66	24.01	12,695.1	39.3	1,004.11	2,672.5	17.8	305.73
15 to 24 years	2,581.9	28.8	426.32	13.95	1,474.7	38.4	601.71	1,107.2	16.0	192.73
25 years and over	12,785.6	36.9	974.81	26.05	11,220.4	39.4	1,057.00	1,565.3	19.0	385.66
Men	7,779.9	37.9	1,001.76	25.76	6,952.1	40.4	1,088.38	827.8	17.1	274.33
Women	7,587.6	33.1	760.53	22.22	5,742.9	37.9	902.09	1,844.6	18.1	319.82
<b>Union coverage</b>										
Union coverage	4,808.8	35.9	1,005.85	27.65	4,151.9	38.5	1,094.71	657.0	19.4	444.25
No union coverage	10,558.7	35.4	826.55	22.36	8,543.2	39.6	960.07	2,015.5	17.2	260.58
<b>Job permanency</b>										
Permanent	13,074.2	36.3	930.58	24.93	11,199.8	39.2	1,031.84	1,874.5	18.6	325.55
Temporary	2,293.3	31.2	609.46	18.78	1,495.3	39.5	796.41	798.0	15.9	259.16
<b>Occupation</b>										
Management	944.9	39.9	1,547.79	38.76	924.2	40.4	1,572.38	20.7	18.0	449.83
Business, finance and administrative	2,838.3	35.6	830.36	22.88	2,456.0	38.3	908.56	382.2	18.3	327.81
Natural and applied sciences	1,213.3	38.6	1,279.68	33.15	1,174.0	39.3	1,303.50	39.3	18.6	567.64
Health	1,030.5	33.8	946.31	27.89	792.2	37.9	1,066.79	238.3	20.1	545.77
Social science, education, government service and religion	1,555.0	34.4	1,080.87	30.98	1,285.1	37.8	1,205.78	269.8	18.2	486.00
Art, culture, recreation and sport	383.4	31.1	766.83	23.41	276.6	38.0	966.91	106.8	13.4	248.65
Sales and service	3,983.5	31.1	534.24	16.12	2,591.7	38.4	701.11	1,391.8	17.5	223.51
Trades, transport and equipment operators	2,255.2	39.9	959.86	23.73	2,106.9	41.4	1,007.13	148.4	18.1	288.56
Occupations unique to primary industry	363.0	41.3	878.12	20.91	322.3	44.7	960.91	40.7	14.1	222.33
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	800.4	39.1	788.03	19.99	765.9	40.1	811.19	34.5	18.1	273.92
<b>June 2012</b>										
15 years and over	15,178.1	35.6	863.37	23.50	12,540.1	39.3	980.29	2,638.1	17.8	307.61
15 to 24 years	2,528.7	29.3	430.88	13.88	1,481.9	38.7	601.49	1,046.9	16.0	189.37
25 years and over	12,649.4	36.8	949.83	25.43	11,058.2	39.4	1,031.05	1,591.2	18.9	385.40
Men	7,665.2	38.0	981.23	25.22	6,870.8	40.5	1,063.72	794.4	16.8	267.84
Women	7,512.9	33.1	743.12	21.75	5,669.3	37.9	879.18	1,843.6	18.2	324.74
<b>Union coverage</b>										
Union coverage	4,761.2	36.0	984.53	27.02	4,096.9	38.7	1,071.69	664.3	19.4	446.97
No union coverage	10,416.9	35.4	808.00	21.89	8,443.2	39.7	935.94	1,973.8	17.2	260.70
<b>Job permanency</b>										
Permanent	12,830.1	36.4	913.50	24.44	11,037.3	39.3	1,008.52	1,792.9	18.7	328.60
Temporary	2,348.0	31.0	589.44	18.38	1,502.8	39.5	772.98	845.2	15.9	263.07
<b>Occupation</b>										
Management	1,004.9	39.8	1,467.02	36.97	981.5	40.3	1,490.34	23.4	18.8	487.96
Business, finance and administrative	2,848.0	35.5	801.84	22.18	2,459.9	38.2	877.02	388.0	18.0	325.18
Natural and applied sciences	1,146.4	38.7	1,280.71	33.04	1,116.8	39.3	1,299.60	29.6	18.5	567.56
Health	1,049.3	33.7	917.58	27.11	803.3	37.9	1,035.43	246.1	20.0	532.83
Social science, education, government service and religion	1,486.6	34.6	1,052.07	30.32	1,230.3	38.0	1,161.87	256.3	18.3	524.98
Art, culture, recreation and sport	349.5	30.3	748.10	23.58	240.2	37.7	953.29	109.3	14.1	297.07
Sales and service	3,890.3	31.1	531.47	16.00	2,513.9	38.6	702.63	1,376.4	17.5	218.88
Trades, transport and equipment operators	2,261.4	40.1	939.45	23.19	2,118.0	41.5	982.95	143.4	18.3	296.75
Occupations unique to primary industry	343.4	41.9	831.96	19.25	310.2	44.8	899.71	33.1	14.9	197.85
Occupations unique to processing, manufacturing and utilities	798.4	39.3	766.97	19.36	765.9	40.2	788.28	32.5	18.3	265.08

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Tables 282-0023, 282-0069, 282-0073.

**Table 8**  
**Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance Program, <sup>1</sup> seasonally adjusted, 3 month moving average**

Region	Effective from July 7, 2013 to August 10, 2013
	percent
<b>Newfoundland and Labrador</b>	
01. St. John's	6.0
02. Newfoundland and Labrador	16.4
<b>Prince Edward Island</b>	
03. Prince Edward Island	11.1
<b>Nova Scotia</b>	
04. Eastern Nova Scotia	13.4
05. Western Nova Scotia	10.7
06. Halifax	6.7
<b>New Brunswick</b>	
07. Fredericton-Moncton-Saint John	8.6
08. Madawaska-Charlotte	12.1
09. Restigouche-Albert	16.4
<b>Quebec</b>	
10. Gaspésie-Îles-de-la-Madeleine	16.2
11. Québec	4.8
12. Trois-Rivières	9.3
13. South Central Quebec	3.7
14. Sherbrooke	7.2
15. Montérégie	6.7
16. Montréal	8.3
17. Central Quebec	8.4
18. Northwestern Quebec	10.8
19. Bas-Saint-Laurent-Côte-Nord	11.8
20. Gatineau	5.8
21. Saguenay	7.6
<b>Ontario</b>	
22. Ottawa	6.4
23. Eastern Ontario	6.5
24. Kingston	6.4
25. Central Ontario	7.8
26. Oshawa	7.2
27. Toronto	7.9
28. Hamilton	6.2
29. St. Catharines	8.4
30. London	9.1
31. Niagara	9.0
32. Windsor	10.1
33. Kitchener	7.4
34. Huron	8.5
35. South Central Ontario	7.0
36. Sudbury	7.4
37. Thunder Bay	6.2
38. Northern Ontario	11.2
<b>Manitoba</b>	
39. Winnipeg	6.4
40. Southern Manitoba	5.2
41. Northern Manitoba	31.3
<b>Saskatchewan</b>	
42. Regina	3.7
43. Saskatoon	4.0
44. Southern Saskatchewan	6.6
45. Northern Saskatchewan	17.1
<b>Alberta</b>	
46. Calgary	5.2
47. Edmonton	4.8
48. Northern Alberta	7.6
49. Southern Alberta	5.8

See notes at the end of the table.



Table 8 – continued

**Regional unemployment rates used by the Employment Insurance Program, <sup>1</sup> seasonally adjusted, 3 month moving average**

Region	Effective from July 7, 2013 to August 10, 2013
	percent
<b>British Columbia</b>	
50. Southern Interior British Columbia	7.4
51. Abbotsford	8.4
52. Vancouver	6.6
53. Victoria	6.3
54. Southern Coastal British Columbia	8.6
55. Northern British Columbia	10.2
<b>Territories</b>	
56. Yukon <sup>2</sup>	25.0
57. Northwest Territories <sup>2</sup>	25.0
58. Nunavut <sup>2</sup>	25.0

1. The boundaries of these regions are determined by Human Resources and Social Development Canada (HRSDC). For geographic descriptions and maps of employment insurance regions, see the HRSDC website: <http://srv129.services.gc.ca/eiregions/en/geocont.aspx>.

2. This rate is provided by Human Resources and Skills Development Canada.

**Note(s):** All geographic regions are based on the 1996 Census boundaries.

**Table 9-1**  
**Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by detailed age groups**

	June 2011	June 2012	June 2013	S.E. <sup>1</sup>	Change from		Percent change from	
					last year	two years ago	last year	two years ago
in thousands								
<b>Students 15 to 24 years<sup>2</sup></b>								
Population	2,369.8	2,419.7	<b>2,371.9</b>	29.7	<b>-47.8</b>	2.1	<b>-2.0</b>	0.1
Labour force	1,338.9	1,351.6	<b>1,333.7</b>	30.8	<b>-17.9</b>	-5.2	<b>-1.3</b>	-0.4
Employment	1,130.3	1,116.1	<b>1,126.3</b>	29.1	<b>10.2</b>	-4.0	<b>0.9</b>	-0.4
Full-time employment	412.8	405.8	<b>376.4</b>	20.7	<b>-29.4</b>	-36.4	<b>-7.2</b>	-8.8
Part-time employment	717.5	710.4	<b>749.9</b>	22.9	<b>39.5</b>	32.4	<b>5.6</b>	4.5
Unemployment	208.6	235.4	<b>207.4</b>	15.1	<b>-28.0</b>	-1.2	<b>-11.9</b>	-0.6
Participation rate	56.5	55.9	<b>56.2</b>	1.0	<b>0.3</b>	-0.3	...	...
Unemployment rate	15.6	17.4	<b>15.6</b>	1.0	<b>-1.8</b>	0.0	...	...
Employment rate	47.7	46.1	<b>47.5</b>	1.0	<b>1.4</b>	-0.2	...	...
Part-time rate	63.5	63.7	<b>66.6</b>	1.4	<b>2.9</b>	3.1	...	...
<b>Students 15 to 16 years<sup>2</sup></b>								
Population	780.3	763.1	<b>745.5</b>	5.1	<b>-17.6</b>	-34.8	<b>-2.3</b>	-4.5
Labour force	252.1	241.7	<b>221.2</b>	12.1	<b>-20.5</b>	-30.9	<b>-8.5</b>	-12.3
Employment	178.6	174.5	<b>164.1</b>	10.7	<b>-10.4</b>	-14.5	<b>-6.0</b>	-8.1
Full-time employment	9.3	8.5	<b>7.3</b>	4.3	<b>-1.2</b>	-2.0	<b>-14.1</b>	-21.5
Part-time employment	169.3	166.0	<b>156.9</b>	10.0	<b>-9.1</b>	-12.4	<b>-5.5</b>	-7.3
Unemployment	73.5	67.2	<b>57.0</b>	8.1	<b>-10.2</b>	-16.5	<b>-15.2</b>	-22.4
Participation rate	32.3	31.7	<b>29.7</b>	1.6	<b>-2.0</b>	-2.6	...	...
Unemployment rate	29.2	27.8	<b>25.8</b>	2.5	<b>-2.0</b>	-3.4	...	...
Employment rate	22.9	22.9	<b>22.0</b>	1.4	<b>-0.9</b>	-0.9	...	...
Part-time rate	94.8	95.1	<b>95.6</b>	1.9	<b>0.5</b>	0.8	...	...
<b>Students 17 to 19 years<sup>2</sup></b>								
Population	881.5	896.7	<b>895.1</b>	15.8	<b>-1.6</b>	13.6	<b>-0.2</b>	1.5
Labour force	550.5	557.6	<b>550.7</b>	17.3	<b>-6.9</b>	0.2	<b>-1.2</b>	0.0
Employment	474.4	461.1	<b>464.5</b>	16.5	<b>3.4</b>	-9.9	<b>0.7</b>	-2.1
Full-time employment	120.1	116.1	<b>113.2</b>	11.0	<b>-2.9</b>	-6.9	<b>-2.5</b>	-5.7
Part-time employment	354.4	345.0	<b>351.3</b>	15.0	<b>6.3</b>	-3.1	<b>1.8</b>	-0.9
Unemployment	76.1	96.4	<b>86.2</b>	9.6	<b>-10.2</b>	10.1	<b>-10.6</b>	13.3
Participation rate	62.5	62.2	<b>61.5</b>	1.6	<b>-0.7</b>	-1.0	...	...
Unemployment rate	13.8	17.3	<b>15.7</b>	1.5	<b>-1.6</b>	1.9	...	...
Employment rate	53.8	51.4	<b>51.9</b>	1.6	<b>0.5</b>	-1.9	...	...
Part-time rate	74.7	74.8	<b>75.6</b>	2.0	<b>0.8</b>	0.9	...	...
<b>Students 20 to 24 years<sup>2</sup></b>								
Population	708.0	759.9	<b>731.3</b>	23.8	<b>-28.6</b>	23.3	<b>-3.8</b>	3.3
Labour force	536.3	552.3	<b>561.9</b>	21.5	<b>9.6</b>	25.6	<b>1.7</b>	4.8
Employment	477.2	480.5	<b>497.6</b>	20.5	<b>17.1</b>	20.4	<b>3.6</b>	4.3
Full-time employment	283.4	281.1	<b>255.9</b>	16.3	<b>-25.2</b>	-27.5	<b>-9.0</b>	-9.7
Part-time employment	193.8	199.4	<b>241.7</b>	14.0	<b>42.3</b>	47.9	<b>21.2</b>	24.7
Unemployment	59.0	71.8	<b>64.2</b>	8.1	<b>-7.6</b>	5.2	<b>-10.6</b>	8.8
Participation rate	75.7	72.7	<b>76.8</b>	1.8	<b>4.1</b>	1.1	...	...
Unemployment rate	11.0	13.0	<b>11.4</b>	1.4	<b>-1.6</b>	0.4	...	...
Employment rate	67.4	63.2	<b>68.0</b>	1.9	<b>4.8</b>	0.6	...	...
Part-time rate	40.6	41.5	<b>48.6</b>	2.3	<b>7.1</b>	8.0	...	...
<b>Other persons aged 15 to 24<sup>3</sup></b>								
Population	2,087.7	2,037.8	<b>2,078.5</b>	29.7	<b>40.7</b>	-9.2	<b>2.0</b>	-0.4
Labour force	1,762.6	1,704.4	<b>1,749.1</b>	29.9	<b>44.7</b>	-13.5	<b>2.6</b>	-0.8
Employment	1,543.5	1,504.5	<b>1,547.4</b>	28.7	<b>42.9</b>	3.9	<b>2.9</b>	0.3
Full-time employment	1,157.0	1,120.7	<b>1,149.7</b>	26.9	<b>29.0</b>	-7.3	<b>2.6</b>	-0.6
Part-time employment	386.5	383.8	<b>397.9</b>	18.0	<b>14.1</b>	11.4	<b>3.7</b>	2.9
Unemployment	219.1	199.9	<b>201.7</b>	14.0	<b>1.8</b>	-17.4	<b>0.9</b>	-7.9
Participation rate	84.4	83.6	<b>84.2</b>	0.8	<b>0.5</b>	-0.3	...	...
Unemployment rate	12.4	11.7	<b>11.5</b>	0.8	<b>-0.2</b>	-0.9	...	...
Employment rate	73.9	73.8	<b>74.4</b>	0.9	<b>0.6</b>	0.5	...	...
Part-time rate	25.0	25.5	<b>25.7</b>	1.1	<b>0.2</b>	0.7	...	...

1. Average standard error of change over the year (see "Sampling Errors" in Data Quality for further explanations).

2. Students are persons aged 15 to 24 who attended school full-time in March and who are planning to return to school in the fall.

3. Other persons are all other youths aged 15 to 24 who are not included in the student population.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Table 282-0006.

**Table 9-2**  
**Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by province**

	Population		Labour force				Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
	Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment	Unemployment				
in thousands									
<b>Students<sup>1</sup></b>									
Newfoundland and Labrador									
June 2012	31.9	18.4	14.6	4.4	10.2	3.8	57.7	20.7	45.8
June 2013	30.4	14.2	11.8	3.9	7.9	2.4	46.7	16.9	38.8
Prince Edward Island									
June 2012	10.8	7.3	6.1	2.9	3.2	1.2	67.6	16.4	56.5
June 2013	10.3	6.5	5.6	2.5	3.2	0.9	63.1	13.8	54.4
Nova Scotia									
June 2012	62.4	35.4	30.8	11.0	19.7	4.6	56.7	13.0	49.4
June 2013	64.0	36.7	29.8	10.1	19.7	6.9	57.3	18.8	46.6
New Brunswick									
June 2012	45.3	26.4	21.5	8.2	13.3	4.9	58.3	18.6	47.5
June 2013	43.3	24.4	19.9	7.9	12.0	4.6	56.4	18.9	46.0
Quebec									
June 2012	569.2	362.9	303.3	111.0	192.3	59.7	63.8	16.5	53.3
June 2013	551.2	340.0	289.9	82.0	207.9	50.1	61.7	14.7	52.6
Ontario									
June 2012	1,029.4	538.4	426.7	159.1	267.6	111.6	52.3	20.7	41.5
June 2013	1,003.5	548.3	445.7	149.6	296.1	102.6	54.6	18.7	44.4
Manitoba									
June 2012	78.3	46.9	41.5	16.3	25.2	5.5	59.9	11.7	53.0
June 2013	78.6	47.0	42.4	16.3	26.1	4.6	59.8	9.8	53.9
Saskatchewan									
June 2012	60.0	35.7	31.6	11.7	19.9	4.1	59.5	11.5	52.7
June 2013	60.1	37.0	33.8	13.5	20.3	3.2	61.6	8.6	56.2
Alberta									
June 2012	242.6	143.6	128.2	46.7	81.4	15.5	59.2	10.8	52.8
June 2013	238.7	139.8	124.5	51.5	73.0	15.3	58.6	10.9	52.2
British Columbia									
June 2012	289.8	136.5	111.9	34.4	77.5	24.6	47.1	18.0	38.6
June 2013	291.8	139.8	122.9	39.2	83.7	16.9	47.9	12.1	42.1
<b>Other persons aged 15-24<sup>2</sup></b>									
Newfoundland and Labrador									
June 2012	27.6	21.0	16.9	11.9	4.9	4.2	76.1	20.0	61.2
June 2013	28.3	22.8	18.7	13.6	5.1	4.1	80.6	18.0	66.1
Prince Edward Island									
June 2012	9.3	8.2	6.9	6.0	1.0	1.3	88.2	15.9	74.2
June 2013	9.6	8.7	7.5	5.8	1.7	1.2	90.6	13.8	78.1
Nova Scotia									
June 2012	55.8	47.2	36.7	23.9	12.8	10.5	84.6	22.2	65.8
June 2013	52.3	44.4	37.0	29.4	7.6	7.4	84.9	16.7	70.7
New Brunswick									
June 2012	45.0	37.2	33.2	26.9	6.2	4.0	82.7	10.8	73.8
June 2013	45.3	34.5	27.6	21.3	6.3	6.9	76.2	20.0	60.9
Quebec									
June 2012	413.8	354.9	310.9	238.9	72.0	44.0	85.8	12.4	75.1
June 2013	428.6	370.8	328.4	248.8	79.7	42.4	86.5	11.4	76.6
Ontario									
June 2012	759.6	626.9	546.1	386.1	160.0	80.8	82.5	12.9	71.9
June 2013	782.7	652.6	568.7	397.2	171.4	83.9	83.4	12.9	72.7
Manitoba									
June 2012	86.6	72.0	65.1	51.2	13.9	6.8	83.1	9.4	75.2
June 2013	86.1	72.3	65.8	51.7	14.1	6.6	84.0	9.1	76.4

See notes at the end of the table.

Table 9-2 – continued

Students and other persons aged 15 to 24 (unadjusted) by province

	Population	Labour force				Unemployment	Participation rate	Unemployment rate	Employment rate
		Labour force	Employment	Full-time employment	Part-time employment				
in thousands									
Saskatchewan									
June 2012	76.5	65.0	60.5	50.5	10.0	4.5	85.0	6.9	79.1
June 2013	76.5	64.5	60.7	49.8	11.0	3.6	84.3	5.6	79.3
Alberta									
June 2012	263.7	226.4	207.6	175.5	32.1	18.8	85.9	8.3	78.7
June 2013	273.8	232.2	213.3	179.5	33.8	18.8	84.8	8.1	77.9
British Columbia									
June 2012	300.0	245.5	220.6	149.6	71.1	24.9	81.8	10.1	73.5
June 2013	295.2	246.3	219.6	152.4	67.2	26.7	83.4	10.8	74.4

1. Students are persons aged 15 to 24 who attended school full-time in March and who are planning to return to school in the fall.

2. Other persons are all other youths aged 15 to 24 who are not included in the student population.

**Note(s):** Related CANSIM Table 282-0006.

# Data quality

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## About the Labour Force Survey

The statistics contained in this report are based on information obtained through a sample survey of 56,000 representative households across the country. The Labour Force Survey, started in November 1945, was taken at quarterly intervals until November 1952. It has been carried out monthly since then. The information generated by the survey has expanded considerably over the years with a major redesign of the survey content in 1976 and again in 1997, and provides a rich and detailed picture of the Canadian labour market.

The sample used in the Labour Force Survey has been designed to represent all persons in the population 15 years of age and over residing in the provinces of Canada, with the exception of the following: persons living on Indian reserves, full-time members of the armed forces and people living in institutions (for example, inmates of penal institutions and patients in hospitals or nursing homes who have resided in the institution for more than six months). Monthly estimates of employment, unemployment and persons not in the labour force refer to the specific week covered by the survey each month, normally the week containing the 15th day.

## Definitions and explanations

The **labour force** is composed of those members of the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were employed or unemployed.

Employed persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) did any work at all
- (b) had a job but were not at work

A person is considered to be **full-time** if his/her usual hours at the main job are 30 or more hours per week. When the number of hours worked at the main job is usually less than 30 hours per week then he/she is considered to be **part-time**.

**Unemployed** persons are those who, during the reference week:

- (a) were without work, had actively looked for work in the past four weeks (ending with reference week), and were available for work;
- (b) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but were on temporary layoff and were available for work;
- (c) had not actively looked for work in the past four weeks but had a new job to start in four weeks or less from the reference week, and were available for work.

Persons in the civilian non-institutional population 15 years of age and over who, during the reference week, were neither employed nor unemployed are classified as **not in the labour force**.

The **unemployment rate** represents the number of unemployed persons expressed as a percentage of the labour force. The unemployment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number unemployed in that group expressed as a percentage of the labour force for that group.

The **participation rate** represents the labour force expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The participation rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the labour force in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **employment rate (formerly the employment/population ratio)** represents the number of persons employed expressed as a percentage of the population 15 years of age and over. The employment rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed in that group expressed as a percentage of the population for that group.

The **part-time rate** represents the number of persons employed part-time expressed as a percentage of the employed. The part-time rate for a particular group (age, sex, etc.) is the number employed part-time in that group expressed as a percentage of the employed for that group.

All geographic regions are based on the 2006 Census boundaries.

## Seasonal adjustment

Fluctuations in economic time series are caused by seasonal, cyclical and irregular movements. A seasonally adjusted series is one from which seasonal movements have been eliminated. Seasonal movements are defined as those which are caused by regular annual events such as climate, holidays, vacation periods and cycles related to crops, production and retail sales associated with Christmas and Easter. The seasonally adjusted series contains irregular as well as longer-term cyclical fluctuations.

The seasonally adjusted series are revised each year to take into account current data and to generate new forecast factors for the next twelve months. The data are therefore subject to slight revisions in future issues of this publication.

## Sampling variability of estimates

Estimates in this publication are based on the Labour Force Survey, a monthly survey of approximately 56,000 households across Canada. Because the entire population is not surveyed, the estimates are subject to sampling error. While the published estimate is the best available indicator of the real value, changes in the level of any estimates between two months can be the result of a true change or sampling variability. The sampling error can be estimated by calculating the standard error for the published estimate or statistic. These standard errors have been included in the publication tables, in order to assist users in interpreting the data. They are based on 12-month averages and are updated twice a year, in February and August.

### Interpretation based on standard error

Two thirds of the time (68%), a change greater than the sampling error indicates a real change. The larger the change compared to the standard error, the better the chance that we are observing a real change, as opposed to a change due to sampling variability. At the 95% level, in order to ensure that change is real, the change in the estimate must be greater than twice the sampling error.

Movements in estimates that are smaller than the sampling error are less likely to reflect a real change and more likely to be due to sampling variability. While the above is true for monthly movements, one can have more confidence in a series of consecutive movements in the same direction, even though some of the monthly movements may be smaller than the sampling error.

### Interpretation based on confidence intervals

Confidence intervals provide another way of looking at the variability inherent in estimates of sample surveys. To illustrate how to calculate the confidence interval, let us say that one month the published estimate for total employment rose by 16,000 to reach 16,500,000. The associated standard error for the movement estimate is 27,200. The standard error used to interpret the movement estimate indicates that:

- There are approximately two chances in three (68%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -11,200 to +43,200 (16,000 + or – one standard error).
- There are approximately nine chances in ten (90%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -27,520 to +59,520 (16,000 + or – 1.6 times the standard error).
- There are approximately nineteen chances in twenty (95%) that the real value of the movement between the two months falls within the range -38,400 to +70,400 (16,000 + or – two standard errors).

For more detailed explanations on sampling variability of estimates, and in particular for information on how to assess the variability of level estimates, consult the Data quality section of the *Guide to the Labour Force Survey*, (71-543-G) on page 27.

## Documentation

For more detailed information about the Labour Force Survey, see the following documents:

- Overview of the Labour Force Survey
- Guide to the Labour Force Survey (71-543-G)
- Data quality statement
- Methodology of the Canadian Labour Force Survey (71-526-X)
- LFS *geographical maps*